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## 1913

## MINUTES

OF

## Alabama Baptist State Convention

Enterprise, Alabama


NEXT SESSION
SELMA, ALABAMA
NOVEMBER 17, 18, 19, 1914

## Place of Meeting and Officers, 1823 to 1913.

| Year | Place of Meeting | President | Clerk |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1823 | Greensbo | Charles C | J. A. Ranaldson. |
| 1824 | Marion |  | J. A. Ranaldson. |
| 1825 | Tuscaloosa | C. Da |  |
| 1827 | Bethany, Conecuh County | L. C. Da | J. A. Butler. |
| 1828 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1829 \\ & 1830 \end{aligned}$ | Canaan Church, Jefferson Count Near Canton, Wilcoz County | Lee Comper <br> J. Ryan | A. J. Holcombe. A. J. Holcombe |
| 1831 | Salem Church, near Greensboro |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1832 \\ & 1833 \end{aligned}$ | Grant's Creek Church, near Tuscal'sa |  |  |
| 1834 | Salem Church, near Greensboro .----- | H. Holco | A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1835 | Oakmulgee Church, Perry County -- | Jesse Hartwel | A. J. Holcombe. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1836 \\ & 1837 \end{aligned}$ | Fellowship Church, Wilcox County Enon Church Madison County | H. Holcombe <br> H. Holcombe | A. J. Holcombe. <br> A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1838 | Grant's Creek Church, near Tuscal'sa | H. Holcombe | A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1839 | Oakmulgee Church, Perry County--- | Jesse Hartwell | A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1840 | Salem Church, Greene County-.-.-- | Jesse Hartwell | A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1841 | Talladega-- | Thomas Chilto | A. J. Holcombe. |
| 1843 | Marion.... | Jesse Hartwell | M. P. Jewett. |
| 1844 | Marion | Jesse Hartwell | M. P. Je wett. |
| 1845 | Marion | Jesse Hartwell | M. P. Jewett. |
| 1846 | Marion | Thomas Chilton | M. P. Jewett. |
| 1847 | Greensb | Thomas Chilton | M. P. Jewett. |
| 1848 | Marion | Thomas Chilton | Platt Stout. |
| 1849 | Carlowville, Dallas C | Thomas Chilton- | Platt Stout. T. F. Curtis. |
| 1851 | Tuskegee | W. P. Chilton. | Platt Stout. |
| 1852 | Marion | H. Talbird | Platt Stout. |
| 1853 | Selm | H. Talbird | P. H. Lundy. |
| 1854 | Marion | H. Talbird | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1855 | Montgomery | H. Talbird | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1856 | LaFayette- | A. G. McGraw | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1857 | Talladega, Novembe | A. G. McGraw | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1858 | Gainesvi | A. G. McGraw | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1859 | Marion | A. G. McGraw | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1860 | Tuskegee | H. Talbird | I. T. Tichenor.. |
| 1861 | Marion. Selma | H. Taibird | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1863 | Marion | J. L. M. Curry | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1864 | Montgome | W. H. McIntosh | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1865 | Marion. | J. L. M. Curry | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1866 | Selma | J. L. M. Curry | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1868 | Marion | J. L. M. Curry | Charles Manly- |
| 1869 | Oxford | S. Henderson | Charles Manly. |
| 1870 | Opelika | S. Henderson | Charles Manly. |
| 1871 | Montgomer | S. Henderson | R. F. Manly. |
| 1872 | Eufaula | S. Hendersou | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1873 | Tuscaloosa | S. Henderson | J. J. D. Renfroe. |
| 1874 | Marion | Jonathan Haralson. | F. H. Hawks. |
| 1875 | Huntsville | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1876 | Montgomery | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1877 | Gadsden | Jonathan Haralson. | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1878 | Talladega | Jonathan Haralson. | A. B. Goodhue. |
| 1879 | Birmingham | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1880 | Greenville- | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1881 | Troy- | Jonathan Haralson- | B. B. Davis. |
| 1882 | Huntsville | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1883 | Marion- | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1884 | Tuscaloosa | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1885 | Tuskegee | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1886 | Birmingham | Jonathan Haralson. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1887 | Union Springs | Jonathan Haralsori. | B. B. Davis. |
| 1888 | Talladega | Jonathan Haralson. | William A. Davis. |
| 1889 | Selma | Jonathan Haralson. | William A. Davis. |
| 1890 | Mobile | Jonathan Haralson. | William A. Davis. |
| 1891 | Eufaula | Jonathan Haralson | William A. Davis. |
| 1892 | Anniston | W. C. Cleveland. | William A. Davis. |
| 1893 | Greenvill | W. C. Cleveland | William A. Davis. |
| 1894 | Marion | W. C. Cleveland. | William A. Davis. |
| 1895 | Selma | W. C. Cleveland | William A. Davis. |
| 1896 | Huntsvill | W. C. Cleveland | William A. Davis. |
| 1897 | East Lake | W. C. Cleveland | William A. Davis. |
| 1898 | Opelika | W. C. Cleveland. | William A. Davis. |
| 1899 | Gadsden | H. S. D. Mallory | William A. Davis. |
| 1900 | Tuscaloosa | H. S. D. Mallory | William A. Davis. |
| 1901 | Brewton_ | H. S. D. Mallory | William A. Davis. |
| 1902 | New Deca | H. S. D. Mallory | William A. Davis. |
| 1903 | Troy | H. S. D. Mallory | William A. Davis. |
| 1904 | Anniston | G. L. Comer--- | William A. Davls. |
| 1905 | Sheffield | G. L. Comer | M. M. Wood. |
| 1906 | Talladega. | N. D. Denson. | M. M. Wood. |
| 1907 | Dothan | N. D. Denson | M. M. Wood. |
| 1908 | Roanok | N. D. Denson- | M. M. Wood. |
| 1908 | Montgomery, Centennial Session | N. D. Denson. | M. M. Wood. |
| 1909 | Andalusia---------------1.- | N. D. Denson- | M. M. Wood. |
| 1910 | Albertville | R. E. Pettus | M. M. Wood. |
| 1911 | Greenville | R. E. Pettus. | M. M. Wood. |
| 1912 | Jasper | W. W. Campbell | M. M. Wood. |
| 1913 | Enterprise | W. W. Camobell | M. M. Wood. |

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Proceedings of the Ninety-Second Session, List of Ordained Ministers, and MinISters' Mutual Benefit Society


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## Committees to Report in 1914.

## Home Missions.

J. G. Dickinson, J. E. Barnes, M. K. Thornton, L. T. Reeves, and J. R. Stodghill.

## Foreign Missions.

I. A. White, P. W. James, A. J. Preston, W. P. Wilkes, and M. P. Edwards.

## Woman's Work.

J. A. Carnley, J. W. Stewart, and A. G. Spinks.

## Sunday Schools.

C. R. Bell, W. B. Castleberry, T. M. Dix, E. L. Dodson, R. J. Bateman, B. B. Finklea and H. L. Strickland.

## B. Y. P. U.

Lamar Jeffers, H. E. Pettus, O. C. Dostor, Jr., Gwylym Herbert and W. D. Blackwelder.

## Layman's Movement.

H. S. D. Mallory, W. W. Campbell, N. D. Denson, C. S. Rabb, Paul Dix, J. T. Ashcraft, Tom Garner, J. P. Wood, G. G. Britton, T. W. Palmer and H. T. Lattimer.

## Temperance.

A. W. Briscoe, S. H. Bennett, J. O. Colley and R. M. Hunter.

## Memorials.

M. M. Wood, J. A. Beal, W. D. Hubbard, and H. H. Conner.

## Transportation.

W. A. Davis, H. F. Lattimer and E. M. Barnes.

## Press Committee.

John C. Williams, J. D. Ray, Frank Willis Barnett and C. W. Hare.

## Committee on Program.

Powhatan W. James, H. H. Hagood, E. M. Stewart, W. B. Crumpton, and H. S. D. Mallory.

## Boards of the Convention.

## State Board of Missions.

Temns expire in 1911: John W. Phillips, W. J. Elliott, E. H. Jemnings, 11. S. 1). Mallory, Henry J. Willingham, K. E. Pettus and Charles A . Stakely. Term expires in 1915: Presten Blake, T. M. Dix, W. 13. Davidson, L. O. Dawson, A. S. Smith, Richard Hall, and W. F. Yarborough. Term expires in 1916: D. C. Cooper, J. W. Minor, A. J. Dickinson, C. Ross Baker, J. F. Gable, J. (i. Keynolds, and J. P. Wuod.

## Educational Commission.

Terms expire in 1914: J. B. Ellis, Win. A. Davis, H. S. D. Mallory, Ernest Lamar, and L. O. Dawson. Terms expire in 1915: W. F. Yarborough, D. H. Marbury, J. C. Wright, C. W. Asheraft and P. C. Ratliff. Terms expire in 1910: C. H. Davis, 1). P. Bestor, W. C. Crumpton, Preston Blake and H. B. Foster.

## Trustees of Howard College.

Terms expire in 1914: A. W. Bell, R. E. Pettus, L. Lassiter, D. C. Coopcr, J. C. Wright, J. W. Minor, W. R. Hilliard, W. J. E. Cox and H. J. Willingham from the Alumni Association. Terms expire in 1915: IV. M. Blackwelder, J. A. French, W. C. Davis, Wm. A. Davis,W. C. Crumpton, P. C. Ratliff, A. D. Smith, D. H. Narbury and S. W. Welch from Alumni Association. Terms expire in 1916: J. B. Ellis, J. T. Ashcraft, G. D. Motley, W. P. McAdory, J. C. Maxwell, J. G. Lowrey, J. W. Beasley and J. R. Keyton. J. D. Heacock from Alumni Association.

## Trustees of Howard College Endowment Fund.

A. W. Bell, D. C. Cooper, Wm. A. Davis, J. B. Ellis, and A. D. Smith.

## Trustees of Judson College.

Terms expire in 1914: J. F. Pope, J. V. Brown, J. A. Coleman and W. M, Fowlkes. Term expires in 1915: C. W. Asheraft, S. H. Woodfin. W. W. Campbell and T. T. Daughdrill. Terms expire in 1916: J. P. Halcy, C. A. Wilkerson, Wm. A. Davis and W. P. Welch. Terms expire in 1917: Ernest Lamar, B. F. Ellis, F. P. Nichols and A. J. Dickinson.

## Trustees of Alabama Central Female College.

L. O. Dawson, Tom Garner, H. B. Foster, J. T. Beal, B. H. Williams, J. G. Lowrey, W. M. Blackwelder, H. N. Edins, A. C. Davidson*' J. B. Gibson*', J. D. Murphree*, H. D. Wilson*, and J. F. Brock*.

## Trustees of Baptist Collegiate Institute.

Terms expire 1914: J. M. Head, O. P. Bentley, S. S. Howell and W. B. Crumpton. Terms expirein 1915: R. L. Jones, H. L. Martin, G. H. Malone, and J. J. S. Willis. Terms Expirc in 1916: B. P. Poyner, R. L. Marchman, S. T. Jones and M. A. Smith.

## Trustees of Healing Springs Academy.

T. E. Tucker, R. L. Aaron, J. E. McLemore, H. C. Causey, W. J. Blount and J. B. Shoemaker.

## Boards of the Convention-Concluded

## Trustees Aged and Infirm Ministers’ Fund.

Terms expire in 1914: Geo. M. Morrow, G. W. Macon, W. H. McKleroy and W. W. Campbell. Terms expire in 1915: H. B. Foster, D. H. Marbury, T. H. Johnston, and J. W. Minor. Terms expire in 1916: Ernest Lamar, W. M. Anderson, H. J. Willingham and C. A. O'Neal.

## Trustees of Orphans' Home.

Term sexpire in 1915: T. L. Riley, H. S. Barclay and J. A. Thompson. Terms expire in 1917: J. B. Ellis, C. S. Rabb and W. C. Crumpton. Terms expire in 1919: W. B. Ivey, Robert Croom and J. O. Thompson.

## Board of Ministerial Education.

J. R. Edwards, Preston Blake, J. A. Hendricks, A. L. Smith, W. M. Anderson, N. A. Barrett, M. K. Thornton, W. M. Blackwelder, A. K. Wright, J. E. Barnes, J. O Colley and L. T. Reeves.

## Committee on Co-operation.

L. L. Gwaltney, J. L. Thompson, R. J. Bateman, J. W. Partridge and M. P. Edwards.

## Directors of the Convention.

The President, Vice-Presidents, Secretary, and Treasurer, ex-officio, and W. B. Crumpton, Geo. W. Ellis, H. S. D. Mallory, A. S. Smith, Michael Cody, Spright Dowell, F. W. Lull, and R. D. Webb.

## Officers of the Convention.

## President.



## OTHER OFFICERS.

## State Board of Missions.

H. J. WILLINGHAM, President Montgomery, Ala. W. B. CRUMPTON, Cor. Sec'y Montgomery, Ala.

## Educational Commission.

J. C. WRIGHT, President
Wm. A. DAVIS, Treasurer

Howard College.

J. B. ELLIS, Pres. of Trustees

Selma, Ala.
Wm. A. DAVIS, Trs. End. Fund
Anniston, Ala.

## Judson College.

P. V. BOMAR, D.D., President_-............................................................. Alarion,

ERNEST LAMAR, Pres. of Trustces
Selma, Ala.

## Alabama Central Female College.


L. O. DAWSON, D.D., Pres. of Trustees ....................... Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Baptist Collegiate Institute.
A. W. TATE, Principal

Newton, Ala.
B. P. POYNER, Pres. of Trustees

Newton, Mla.

## Healing Springs Institute.

W. B. CRUMPTON, Pres. of Trustees
C. C. Snith, Principal $\qquad$ Montgomery, Ma Healing Springs, Ala

## Board of Ministerial Education.


Orphans' Home.
M. C. REYNOLDS, Superintendent ... Evergreen, Ala.
W. C. CRUMPTON, Pres. of Trustees_

Evergreen, Ala.

## Board of Aged and Infirm Ministers.

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# Proceedings of the Alabama Baptist State Convention. 

NINETY'SECOND SESSION.

Enterprisf, Ala., Nov. 18, 1913.

1. The Alabama Baptist State Convention met this day at $2: 30$ o'clock, P. M., in the mecting house of the Baptist church in its ninety-second session.
2. A Prayer and Praise service was conducted by J. M. Springficld.
3. The Convention was called to order by W. W. Campbell the President, and delegates were enrolled as their names appear on page 74.
4. Officers were elected as follows, For President, W. W. Campbell; for Secretary, M. M. Wood; for Fi-st Vice-President, H. B. Foster; for Second Vice-President, J. G. Reynolds.
5. Representatives of various interests reported during the session of the Convention as follows:
B. D. Gray, Corresponding Secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

John R. Sampey, Professor of Hebrew in the Southern Baptist Thcological Seminary.
G. H. Lacey, returned Missionary from Mexico; W. R. Seymore, Student Body of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; W. Y. Quisinberry; Brooks Lawrence, Superintendent Alabama Anti-Saloon League.
6. New pastors were introduced as follows:
P. W. James, Selma, Ala.

Geo. W. Waite, Marion, Ala.
A. K. Wright, Ensley, Ala.

Lcon M. Lattimer, Sylacauga, Ala.
H. T. Crumpton, Notasulga, Ala.
C. W. Henson, Monroeville, Ala.
7. O. P. Bentley submitted a report on program for the session, which was adopted.
8. John R. Sampey addressed the Convention in the interest of the Theological Seminary located at Louisville, Ky., and pledges to the Students Fund were made.
9. W. I. Pittman extended a cordial welcome on behalf of the Baptist church and the entire town, to which response on behalf of the Convention was made by Jesse A. Cook.
10. The report of the Board of Directors was read as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

## Minutes of First Meeting.

The Board of Directors of the Alabama Baptist State Convention has held four meetings in Montgomery Ala., since the last session of the Convention, and transacted the following business:

1. The first meeting was held November 26, 1912, the following members being present: W. W. Campbell, President; J. G. Reynolds, Second Vice-President; T. C. Crumpton, W. B. Crumpton, H. S. D. Mallory, Geo. W. Ellis, and Arnold S. Smith, who acted as Secretary.

In compliance with the action of the Convention at its session, November 18, 19, and 20, 1913, was selected as the date for the next session.

On motion the Statistical Secretary was instructed to compile and publish the Statistics of 1912 as soon as possible.

Adjourned.
W. W. CAMPBELL, President.

## ARNOLD S. SMITH, Acting Secretary

## Minutes of Second Meeting.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 27, 1912.
A meeting of the Directors of the Baptist State Convention was this day held in the rooms of the State Board of Missions upon call of the President. There were present: W. W. Campbell, President, and J. G. Reynolds, Vice-President, of the Baptist State Convention, T. U. Crumpton, W. B. Crumpton, M. Cody, and Geo. W. Ellis, with W. W. Campbell, Chairman, and Geo. W. Ellis, Secretary. On invitation, B. P. Poyner, in behalf of the Trustees of the Newton Collegiate Institute, stated the condition of their finances, that their floating debt amounted to $\$ 3,344.70$, and requested that the said Board of Trustees of the said Newton Collegiate Institute be authorized to borrow as much as $\$ 3000$, with which to pay off the said debt, and, on motion of W. B. Crumpton, the said Trustees were authorized to borrow the amount of $\$ 3000$ and if necessary, to secure its payment by mortgage on the property of the said Newton Collegiate Institute.
W. B. Davidson, from the Trustees of the Bush Memorial Fund, appeared before the Board of Directors of the Baptist Convention with a statement as to the permanent investment of the said Bush Memorial Fund, and whereas the State Board of Missions, at its meeting held in November last, authorized the said Trustees of said Bush Memorial Fund to invest the same, with the approval of the local members of the said State Board of Missions, now therefore, be it resolved by the Directors of the Convention this day assembled, that we concur in the action of the

State Board of Missions as to the authority given the said Trusters of the said Bush Memorial Fund.

On motion of J. G. Reynolds, the Directors of the Alabamat Baptist State Convention request the Atlantic Coast Line Ry. Co. to grant the annual pass over their lines to $\mathbb{I V}$. B. Crumpton, Corresponding Secretary of the Atabama Baptist State Board of Nissions.

Given moder our hands and seals this the day and date above written. CEOU. W. ELLLS, Secretary. W. W. CAMPBELL, Chairman.

## Minutes of Third Meeting.

## Montgomery, Ala., Jancary 24, 1913.

At a called meeting of the Board of Directors of The Alabama Baptist State Convention held in the office of the State Board of Missions, Bell Building, the following Directors were present: W. W. Campbell, President, J. G. Reynolds Vice-President, W. B. Crumpton, H. J. Willingham, H. S. D. Mallory, Michael Colly and Geo. W. Ellis, and from the State Board of Missions, J. B. Ellis, L. Lassiter, C. A. Stakely, W. B. Davidson, W. J. Elliott and Jesse A. Cook.
W. W. Campbell ealled the mecting to order and Geo. W. Ellis was elected secretary.

On motion the following resolution, duly seconded, was unanimously adopted by said Board of Directors:
"The Trustees of the Curtis Bush Fund are hereby authorized and instructed to apply the said fund to the purchase of the said Ligon property, and as the larger portion of said fund is now out on loans, it is hereby directed that said loans be realized on as soon as practicable, and to that end the same, and the notes and mortgages securing and evidencing the same be sold, and W. B. Davidson, L. Lassiter, H. S. D. Mallory and J. B. Ellis (who are the individuals composing the trustees of said fund) or any one or more of them, are hereby authorized and directed to act for the Alabama Baptist State Convention and the State Board of Missions, in the sale and transfer of said notes and mortgages; and in the actual transfer of the same, will make the same in the name of said Convention or in the name of the said State Board of Missions, or both, according as said notes and mortgages may be made payable by the terms thereof."
"Be it Further Reso'ved, That for any deferred payment of said purchase money, W. W. Campbell, President of Alabama State Convention is hereby authorized to execute a note to the owner or owners of said property in the name of the Alabama Baptist State Convention, payable at such time as may be agreed upon between him and said owner or owners."

A fourth meeting was held July 9, 1913, the following members being present, viz: W. W. Campbell, J. G. Reynolds, H. S. D. Mallory, Arnold S. Smith, Geo. W. Ellis, 11. Cody, and M1. 11. Wood.

The following resolution was read and after due deliberation adopted, viz:
"Be it Resolved by the Board of Directors of the Alabama Baptist State Convention, That said Alabama Baptist State Convention purchase from Mr. J. E. Trimble the property: Lot commencing 110 feet from the northeast corner of Court and Adams Sts., thence running is feet easterly along Adams St., thence northerly $6 \sigma^{1} 2$ feet, thence westerly 54 feet, and thence $6 \sigma^{1 / 2}$ feet to point of beginning, for and in its name an 1 to be used and form a part of the property known as the J. C. Bush Memorial at and for the sum of $\$ 3750.00$ of which $\$ 750$ is to be paid in cash and
the balance on or before five years from date, interest at $8 \%$ payable annually, and that the deed be taken in the name of said Convention, and the credit part of the purchase money be secured by the mortgage of said Convention on the property so purchased; and that the purchase note and the mortgage be made and executed in the name of said Convention; the President of said Convention being hereby authorized and instructed to execute said note and mortgage for and in the name of said Convention."

The following preamble and resolutions were read, discussed by James B. Ellis, W. B. Crumpton and H. S. D. Mallory, and adopted:

Whereas, The Judson College, formerly named and styled the Judson Female Institute, located at Marion, Alabama, is largely indebted to various persons, and it is necessary that it raise a large sum of money, to-wit: the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars, with which to pay the same, and meet its other urgent and pressing obligations, and to that end, that it borrow not exceeding that sum of money, and issue its bonds therefor, secured by a first mortgage on all the real estate owned by it, and it being necessary that said bonds be further secured by first mortgage on the real estate on which the college building is situated, and which is more particularly hereinafter described, the legal title to which is in the Alabama Baptist State Convention; and whereas it is necessary that said Alabama Baptist State Convention give its consent to the making of the mortgage by the Judson College, and so far as embracing in said mortgage that part of the real estate in the use of said college, the legal title to which is in the name of the Alabama Baptist State Convention, and,

Whereas, Said Alabama Baptist State Convention is not now in meeting, or assembly. or convention;

Now, therefore, be it Resolved by the Board of Directors of said Alabama Baptist State Convention, duly assembled and acting for, on behalf of and in the name of said Alabama Baptist State Convention, that said Judson College, through its Board of Trustees is hereby authorized, for the purposes aforesaid, to issue and sell its interest bearing bonds to the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars and secure the same by a first mortgage on all the real estate of said Judson College, which mortgage shall include, in addition to said real estate, that lot of land the title to which is in said Alabama Baptist State Convention, and held by it under the deed made by E. D. King, Andrew B. Moore, Langston Goree, James L. Goree and others to Jesse Hartwell and others, as trustees for said Convention, bearing date the 6th day of November, 1843, and recorded in the Probate Office of Perry County, Alabama, in Deed Record G, page 18, said lot of land being particularly described in and by said deed as follows, towit:

A certain parcel of land situated and lying and being in the town of Marion and County of Perry, State of Alabama, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake at the northwest corner of a lot formerly owned by Joseph L. VanDyke on the east side of Bibb Street, thence running north one hundred and forty-eight feet to a stake, thence east to Convenience Street, thence south to the northeast corner of lot number five, owned by Dr. A. G. Bradley, thence west to the southeast corner of the lot formerly owned by Joseph L. VanDyke aforesaid, thence north on a line of said last mentioned lot to a stake at the northeast corner thereof, thence west to the place of beginning; the said parcel of land being part of lot number four on the plan of the said town of Marion, lying east of Bibb Street, and the same on which has been erected the Literary Institution known and called by the name of The Judson Female Institute; and in order that said real estate and the title thereto shall be validly and effectively included in and conveyed and covered in and by said mortgage,
the Alabama Baptist State Convention shall unite and join in said mortgage, by the hand of its President, ittested Ly its Secretary, but shall not be fimancially whigated for the payment of satd bonds or the interest thereon other that the devotion thereto by the way of satu mortgage of said deseribed property.

Be it Further Resolved. That this ation of the Board of Directors lxe reported to the Alabama Baptist State Convention at its next session for its action in reference thereto."

Adopted July !9, 1993, by the Board of Directors of the Alabamat Baptist State Convention.

M. M. WOOD, Seeretary.

The following preamble and resolution was read and after due consideration it was adopted:
"Whereas, The Board of Trustees of the Louise Short Baptist Widows' and Orphans' Home of Alabama has contracted with R. H. Mabry to sell to said K. HI. Mabry the lot of land in Selma, Alabama, given by Maric Louise, Woodson to said Orphans' Home, which lot of land is described as follows:
"Commencing at S. E. corner Lauderdale Strect and running about ninety feet South, also east from Lauderdale St. on Selma Ave., about one hundred and ten feet, at and for the sum of $(\$ 10,000)$ Ten Thousand Dollars, to be paid as follows: One thousand Dollars cash, balance one thousand Dollars per annum with 6 per cent. interest. And whereas it is necessary that the Alabama Baptist State Convention ratify and approve said sale, and whereas it is deemed by said Board of '1rustees of said Orphanage and by the Board of Directors of said Alabama Baptist State Convention to be to the interest of said Orphanage that said sale be made and consummated,
"Now, Therefore, be it Resolved by the Board of Directors of said AlaJama Baptist State Convention, duly assembled and acting this 9th day of July, 1913, said Alabama Baptist State Convention not heing assembled or in meeting or session, that said sale of said lot of land be, and the same is hereby ratified and approved by this Board of Directors for and in the name and on behalf of said Convention, and said Board of Trustees aforesaid are hereby authorized to carry out said contract of sale and make and execute such deed and instruments of writing as may be necessary or proper to that end.
"Be it Further Resolved, That this action of this Board of Directors be reported to said Mabama Baptist State Convention at its next meeting."

On motion, the traveling expenses of members of the Board was ordered paicl. After which the Board adjourned.
W. W. CAMPBELL, President.
M. M. WOOD, Secretary.

On motion of W. A. Davis, the various actions of the Board of Directors described in the report was ratified and confirmed by the vote of the Conventin.

The following resolution was read by H. S. D. Mallory and adopted:

Be it Resolved, That, whereas, the Louise Short Baptist Widows' and Orphans' Home of Alabama has contracted to sell to Richard H. Mabry that tract of land dleeded to it by Maric Louise Woodson, and which is located in Selma, Alabama, at the southeast intersection of Lauderdale Street and

Selma Avenue, formerly called Selma Street, fronting 112 feet, more or less, on Selma Avenue, and ninety-one feet ten inches, more or less, on Lauderdale Street, bounded on the south by the Eliasberg property, on the east by an alley, at and for the price of Ten Thousand Dollars, to be paid partly in cash and partly on time; and,

Whereas, One of the conditions of said sale was that the same should be approved and consented to by this Convention; now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the Alabama Baptist State Convention, now in regular session at Enterprise, Alabama, that said sale be and the same is hereby approved and consented to by this Alabama Baptist State Convention, and that the said Louise Short Baptist Widows' and Orphans' Home of Alabama is hereby authorized to make a deed to said purchaser, Richard H. Mabry, to said property and secure the unpaid purchase money by a mortgage on said property for the same, and to do all that is necessary or proper in and about the completion of said sale. This Convention approving and consenting to said sale and authorizing the making of said deed, and the completion of said sale and the carrying it out as contracted to do between the said purchaser and Louise Short Widows' and Orphans' Home of Alabama, but it is understood that this Convention does not and shall not assume or incur any liability whatsoever in and about the same or for or on account of this resolution and action, the intention of the same being merely to give this Convention's approval and consent of and to said sale.
11. H. S. D. Mallory, Treasurer of the Curtis Bush Memorial Friend, submitted his report as follows, which was received:

Selma, Ala., Nov. 1, 1913.
To the Alabama Baptist State Convention:
Brethren-As treasurer of the Curtis E. Bush Fund, so called, I submit the following report:

There came into my hands as such treasurer from Mr. G. G. Miles, Jr., the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars, as the eash in the hands of Brother G. G. Miles (former custodian of said fund) at his death, and from the same source I received the following securities in which said fund had been invested:

Loan to Chas. W. Thompson of $\$ 9000.00$, secured by land mortgage, and payable by notes in installments of $\$ 1000.00$ each, January 6, 1913, 1914 and 1915, and $\$ 6000.00$ payable January 6,1916 , with yearly interest notes at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum;

Loan to C. N. T. Barrett, of $\$ 900.00$ secured by land mortgage, and payable by note due January .-, 1915, with interest at 8 per cent., payable annually.
It thus appears that I received in cash
And in the described securities
Aggregating

Of the $\$ 900.00$ received from Mr. G. G. Miles, Jr., I loaned out as follows:

To E. W. Tavel $\$ 500.00$ and to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pheiffer $\$ 300.00$.
These two loans, that is to Tavel and Pheifier, were turned into cash by me by transfer when it was determined to invest the Bush Fund in the purchase for the Convention of the Ligon property in Montgomery.

I collected from Mr. Chas. W. Thompson his first principal note of $\$ 1000.00$ and $\$ 720.00$ interest for one year on the entire loan. I also col-
lecterl from Mr. Barnett his principal note of syono(o) and one year's interest, \$72.00, he having paid his debt prior to mathrity. I summarize as follows:

> Cash Roceipts:
> From Mr. (i. (i. Miles, Jr $\$$ (MO) 00
> Collection of first principal note from Chats. W'. Thompson ....... 1,00000
> Collection of one year's interest from Chas. W. Thompsonl
> 72000
> Collection of C. N. T. Barrett note !en 00
> Collection of interest on same . . . . 7200
> Collection of earned interest on loan of Miles payment - $\quad 18 \quad 3: 3$
> \& 3,610 33
> There then remained in my hands the unpaid notes of Chas. W. Thompson of -...
> $\$ 8,00000$
> Aggregating with the cash
> $\$ 11,610 \quad 33$
> It was determined by the Board of Directors of this Convention to use the Bush Fund in the purchase of the Ligon property at Montgomery (except the rear end), and they authorized the sale of the securities on hand, for the purpose of raising the necessary funds, together with the cash on hand, with which to make the purchase, the Montgomery brethren supplying the deficiency, and your treasurer was directed to turn over all funds and securities on hand for that purpose.

These Thompson notes were sold by Brother W. B. Davidson by authority of the Board of Directors, and the proceeds, together with the cash sent him, were invested in said Ligon property, title being taken in the name of the Alabama Baptist State Convention.

Having thus fully discharged my trust, as treasurer of said fund, I respectfully ask that I be discharged.

Fraternally submitted,
H. S. D. MALLORY, Treas. of Curtis E. Bush Fund.
12. W. B. Crumpton, its Corresponding Secretary, read the annual report of the State Board of Missions, as follows:

## FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STATE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

This report covers sixteen months of earnest endeavor for the advancement of the Kingdom of our Lord. We gratefully acknowledge the leading of His gracious Hand in all the way. The lives of our members and our missionaries have been precious in His sight; but we are pained to report the passing away of Brother J. S. Carrol, a former member of our Board. He was in the prime of life and was fast growing in usefulness to the work of his Master.

We greet you no longer from a "hired house" but from-your own.

## "J. C. Bush Memorial-Baptist Headquarters."

It seemed good to the Board, the Board of Directors concurring, that the trust fund from the estate of our late Brother Bush should be invested in a permanent home. The Montgomery brethren aiding liberally, we were able to make a most desirable purchase, which is now worth more than the money paid for it. It was deemed wise to repurchase a rear lot, which had been sold off, which forced us to make a debt of $\$ 3000$, on which a mortgage was placed. On this property we receive a rental which more than meets the interest on the debt. The whole property cost us $\$ 18,750$. There will be no saving in rent this year because our lease of the offices in the Bell building did not cease until October 1.

So far as we have heard, the purchase of this property gives almost universal satisfaction to our people, and business men in . Mlontgomery said, from the first, it was a bargain at the price we paid.

## Realizing Visions.

Thus we realize a vision mentioned in our report of 1905 and again in 1911 in which we spoke of the possibility of a Home for the Board. This emboldens us to hope that another vision will materialize which was mentioned in our report in 1905, as follows:
"The question of medical infirmaries is being agitated among the Baptists of some of the States. Has not the time come in our State when the Baptists of Alabama should begin to discuss the question? With all the wealth God has put into the hands of the Baptists it ought not to be hard to secure sufficient money to establish one or more such institutions for the relief of suffering humanity."

We have ample room on our present property to have a Baptist Sanitarium. Texas, Georgia, and Missouri, Tennessee and Mississippi jointly, have led off in this line of work, why should not Alabama do the same?

A Great Colportage Department from which Bibles and religious books in a stream may flood the State has been a fond dream of your Board. That dream is much nearer of realization since we have now room for a large stock of books. It will be fully realized when we have the money to purchase books in quantities for cash. The credit system in purchasing or selling, we have found, is a ruinous business.

There is nothing too great for our God if we but trust Him, putting forth earnest efforts for the advancement of His cause.

## There Are Ever Increasing Demands for Assistance

From city, town, village and country. It is distressing to see how the religious fakirs and promoters of false doctrines in the country and on the outskirts of the cities are getting in their deceptive work among the uninformed. In many sections our people are like sheep without shepherds. They have no pastors, but only supplies, eoming once a month from long distances, merely to fill the pulpits. Good men they are; but, situated as they are, they are utterly helpless to defend their people from the ravenous wolves who are preying upon them. Nothing but an informing Evangelism and a wise grouping of churches and settling of pastors on the fields can eheck these inroads upon our membership. In most places the deceiver ingratiates himself into favor with his ignorant hearers by attacks on an educated ministry, a stated salary to pastors and falsehoods about the Mission Boards and their work.

## We Have Had No livangelists Since February.

Pastors with crangelistic gifts, independent 13aptist cevangelists and those of the Home Board, have held many meetings where thore were great ingatherings. Dr. Hatcher said wiscly: "It is at least as essential to save what we already have as to save that which is lost." The Evangelisme we most need now is one to sate what we hate. An Evangelism which will lease the pastors with a limer grip upon their people, getting a better support and giving more time to sturly and to the service of their churehes; an Evangelism that will reach the deacons, Sumblay school Superintendents and teachers with a message that will make then more efficient in the positions they hold: an Evangelism that will arouse the hearls of families to have more religion in the homes, the laymen to become enthusiastic in their coöperation with each other and the pastor; an Evangelism that will encourage systematic effort in managing the finances of the Kingdom; an Evangelism that will lead all to regard talents of every nature, whether of the heart, mind, body or possessions, as a solemn trust from Almighty God; an Evangelism that magnifies soul training as well as soul winning.

## The Churches in Many of Our Mining Towns are in Sad Plight.

Generally they are supplied by men coming at irregular intervals, long distances to serve them. Many times they are even denied this poor service. The pulpits are open to any religious crank, or sower of heresy who comes along. The result is that nothing is done towards permanent development. An Evangelist for the mining people is absolutely necessary if these churches are saved to the denomination and made to count for the Kingdom.

An Evangelist for the mill people is needed also to meet similar conditions in the mill towns.

## More Efficient Work is Being Done in Many of the Associations.

We are gratified to report. The Executive Committees are taking their appointments seriously and are devising ways and means of reaching and developing the churches and supplying the destitution. In some cases the Board is asked to co-operate by supplementing salaries; in others, they only ask for our friendly co-operation.

## Our Sunday School Department.

Our Sunday School Department continues to grow in usefulness. The wise plans laid out by Secretary Strickland for the next year will be presented with a summary of the work in his report. It is important that this department be sustained entirely by the gifts of the churches, according to the schedule and regular offerings from the Sunday schools. We believe the Sunday school workers are among our most efficient Missionary forces.

The offerings from the churches for this purpose have been $\$ 7.21 .($ (N), from the Sunday schools $\$ 794.00$ and $\$ 771.00$ from the Sunday Schoos Board, leaving a balance to be paid from the Mission fund of $\$ 5224.0(0)$, this to be offset by what the Sunday sehools have given direct to state Missions $\$ 1,443.00$, which reduces this balance to $\$ 3,781$.

## The Book Department Grows in Importance.

As the preachers read more they realize the importance of reading matter for their people. The teacher training courses, the mission study classes and Bible study in our schools are creating a taste and a demand for religious reading. More than ever, we need to put in the homes of our people sound religious reading and books giving Missionary information. Such literature can be had in convenient form and at reasonable prices. The disseminators of false doctrines were never more active than now in the distribution of their sonl-destroying heresies. Their books are gaining entrance into Christian homes and are leading many astray.

The Woman's Missionary Union has done probably the greatest work in its history; but sad was the beginning of their year.

Only a little while after our last Convention, we were shocked to learn of the untimely death of Miss Julia Ward, who had just entered upon her duties as Secretary-Treasurer. She brought to her work a mind well trained, a heart in keenest sympathy and a life full of enthusiasm for her responsible duties.

Miss Laura Lee Patrick was chosen to fill the place thus made vacant, and Miss Clyde Metcalfe was made Leader of the Young People.

Miss Patrick and Miss Metcalfe and Mrs. T. A. Hamilton, our Woman's Organizer on the field, are connted as Missionaries of the Board and receive salaries as such.

The financial returns of the Woman's Missionary Union are as follows for sixteen months:

| For State Missions | \$ 7,79700 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| For Home Missions_ | - 8,245 00 |  |
| For Foreign Missions. | 13,583 00 |  |
| Making a total of | \$29,625 00 | for Missions. |

The current expenses of the W. M. U., amounting to $\$ 2,160$, are borne by the Board. The expenses, all told, including salaries, for the 16 months were $\$+, 683$, besides, probably, one-third of the time of our bookkeeper is given to this department. This is more than one-half the amount they raise for State Missions.

We do not complain at their expense, for we are sustaining a missionary force far reaching in its influence; but we are asking the sisters to advance the apportionment to State Missions, somewhere on an equality with the other Boards, since State Missions bears all the expense.

## The Action of the Home and Foreign Boards.

In extending the helping hand towards the development of our churches, is commended. Brother C. D. Graves, District Secretary of the Foreign Board, has conducted campaigns through eight Associations, giving one day to almost every church, having a returned Foreign Missionary as the principal speaker. The purpose being to put before the churches in concrete form the great work of the Board; to discuss God's financial plan, enforcing it by the display of charts and facts. The distribution of envelopes follows, and the churches are asked to pledge themselves to their use, according to the schedule. Somewhat similar to this is the work of Brother Archie Cree, Secretary of the Enlistment and Coöperative Department of the Home Board. Our Board was asked to share the expenses of these campaigns, which we have done and should continue to do.

Brother s. O. Y. Ray, whom the Baptists of Mabama know and homor for his years of devotion to the cause, is the Nabama leader of the Home Beard's Department Work.

Buth of these movements should receive the hearty cooperation of every Exentive Commattee of an Association and of every pastor and chureh worker.

## As an Illustration of the Work Done.

In the Enlistment Campaign, we can do no better than to give the report of Brother Ray to Pastor Dawson, after he harl canvassed the Tuscatoosat Association:
"Reached 35 churehes, made an average of two sermons and addresses each day; thirty-three persons agreed to plant one acre each, the procecds to go to pastors' support and benevolences; thirty-two agreed to tithe, many sisters agreed to have missionary hens. Subscribers for all the papers were secured and some money was collected incidentally for all the Boards. One every-member canvass, doubled contributions for all purposes; the field was sown with tracts where they had none, Wall Cards and Sunday school placards were tacked up and explained; systematic giving, better support for pastors, grouping of churches and building preachers' homes were everywhere stressed. Preachers were encouraged to give themselves to reading and to attend the preachers' school at Pelham next summer; the organization of Woman's Missionary Societies and the training of our young people was encouraged also; everywhere patient and persistent work in bringing every member to see the privilege of coőperation was turged."

The large attendance and increased interest in many of our associational gatherings this fall is duc largely to the influence of thesc church to church compaigns.

## We Are Ushering in a Better Day.

The tendency everywhere is to do foundation work. Farmers are going decper in the soil, making better preparation for their crops and studying the laws of plant life; school teachers are studying child nature and applying modern methods to the development of the mind; physicians are studying about the cause and prevention of disease quite as much as they study the cure of diseases. The national Government and the State are giving lands for the cradication of diseases.

The new treatment for anti-missionism and omissionism is to send the experts to every church, not to belabor the people for their stinginess and press them for collections, but to put concrete facts before them, to let their eyes fall upon charts and pictures that convince their judgments, and let them see a man who has been at the front. As he talks of the triumphs of the gospel, they will see with his eyes and old prejudices will give place to enthusiastic support. As we give the intelligence of the people an opportunity to assert itself we will be forever done with the folly of answering absurd and wicked statements of opposers of the work.

## We Have Kept Up the Plan of Informing Pastors,

Church Clerks and Sunday School Superintendents by circular letter each month about the call of the calendar for the month. Like the tracts, many of these letters are not read; but many who are profited thereby express thanks for the information thus given them.

## The Plan of Collections

Approved by the Convention and recommended to the churches some ycars ago, has failed of adoption by the stronger churches. Some object to it, others prefer another plan, and some, we fear, have no plan. In these days of commissions maybe it would be well to have a commission of wise men to take the matter under advisement. Surely some plan can be devised which will bring about better results.

## From the Start we Have Been Confronted with an Embarrassing Debt.

This forced us to reduce our missionary force to the minimum and to ask those remaining for indulgence. They have waited without a murmur, often greatly inconvenienced and sometimes suffering.

We are gratified to report now the missionaries paid to October 1st, settlement made with all Boards, and the indebtedness to the bank reduced.

## How We Now Stand.

The debt is $\$ 8,392$, to which should be added $\$ 3000$, for the purchase of a rear lot, $\$ 2,522$ of the debt is due Bible and Colportage.

The Trustces of the Howard, Judson, Newton, the Pelham Heights Commission and our Board agreed to inaugurate-

## A Debt-Paying Campaign.

For the purpose of raising the following sums:
For Judson College
\$ 45,000
For Howard College 23,000




It was agreed that Secretary Crumpton should inaugurate and conduct the campaign, giving such time as might be necessary. We are gratified to know that progress is being made and there is a hope that in a few months all our Boards will be free from debt.

## In the Effort to Raise Funds

For the Judson Centennial we have but $\$ 1,842$ to report, besides the amounts contributed by the Woman's Missionary Union. To the close of their Convention they had received in cash for this purpose, $\$ 2,702$. Mrs. Carrol of Troy will give through the W. M. U., $\$ 30,000$ for the purpose of establishing The J. S. Carrol Memorial Publishing House in Rio Janeiro, Brazil.

Before the close of the three years' limit we hope that very many of our people, men and women, may be represented in the memorial to American Baptist's first great foreign missionary.

We commend to our people the idea, more prevalent now than formerly, of erecting enduring memorials that may bless the world for all time.

Mrs. Carrol's munificent gift is an example worthy of imitation. It is good to make a will, remembering the Lord at the last; but it is better to execute one's own will while living.

We bave received another $\$ 500$ through the W. M. U. from the estate of Miss Sadie Poollansbee for State Missions, which makes $\$ 2000$, in all receivel from the estate of this noble woman.

## The Committee on Co-operation.

The Commillec on Co-operation will make their report. Their letters th pastors, clerks and superintendents, serves as another reminder, calling them to duty and is not in vain.

The A pportionment is being considerel of more importance by many of the Associations. The Execulive Committees are taking it up with the churches and urging that the schedule be strictly followed, the end being to raise the whole apportionment in every case. Many churches have gone beyond the amounts asked of them.

## NOTES.

## Changes in Office Force.

Mrs. Maud Merritt Johnston, so long the office Secretary, retired after thirteen years of faithful service. We were fortunate to secure the valuable services of Brother Geo. W. Ellis, a trained bookkeeper, a faithful church and denominational worker, and a citizen widely known throughout the State, having been twice elected to the office of State Treasurer. He has charge of the books of the Board and those of the W. M. U. His experience as a member, and the long time Auditor of the Board, fits him especially for the duties of office Secretary. The Corresponding Secretary will be able more than ever to be in the field.

As stenographer and office helper, we have Miss Frances Haralson. Because of the increasing business of the office we are in almost constant use of extra help.

## There Has Been a Greater Demand for Tracts than Ever Before.

While thousands of them are never read, other thousands are eagerly read and bear much fruit. Our printing bill is greater than ever, largely because of the demand for informing tracts.

## Brother James H. Chapman, Assistant Corresponding Secretary,

After more than a year's faithful service, returned to the pastorate accepting the call of the First Church at Florence. Wherever he went he won the hearts of the people and served the Board in a most efficient manner. His services in the preparation of literature was valuable also.

The Convention entrusted the conduct of Healing Springs Industrial Academy to the Educational Commission and the State Board of Missions with instructions to act at once so that the next session of the school should not be hindered. Neither Board being situated so it could be easily called together, the President of the Commission and the Corresponding Secretary of the Board had an agreement each to recommend to his Board an appropriation of $\$ 400$. This was ratified and the amounts paid by the Boards. At the request of the Commission, Dr. Patrick, its Secretary, and Secretary Crumpton visited Healing Springs and agreed to recommend to their Boards continued aill for the session of 1913.

At an adjourned meeting in April the following action was taken by our Board:
"It was ordered that all matters pertaining to the Healing Springs
school be referred to the Educational Commission, and that the appropriation therefor be discontinued after the present session closes."

Because of his sympathy with the school, the Corresponding Secretary went before the Commission, begging that the school be not dropped but aid be continued to it this year. The President said the Commission had no money but was involved in debt, but if the State Board of Missions would continue its aid for one more year he would agree to secure from the Commission a like sum.

## The Sunday School Board

Generously helps in our work giving in cash $\$ 500$ and contributing $\$ 271$ in Bibles and religious books.

## The Home Board

Gives us $\$ 2,000$ for our general work, $\$ 2,000$ to church building, $\$ 600$ to the expenses of the office and $\$ 400$ on the salary of the Corresponding Secretary. Besides this it maintains four mountain schools in the State without a cent of cost to us. They are: Bridgeport and Pisgah, in Jackson County; Eldridge, in Walker County, and Gaylesville, in Cherokee County.

## The Foreign Board

Contributes $\$ 600$ to the expenses of the office and $\$ 600$ to the salary of the Corresponding Secretary. All these Boards are generous in the supply of tracts and othef literature, which we are glad to distribute throughout the State.

## An Alabama Baptist Day,

To be observed by as many pastors as will, would be a token of appreciation for the splendid service rendered by the paper to every interest of the denomination, especially to the Mission Board. The editor not only gladly prints what we furnish, but uses the editorial page freely in endorsing our appeals.

We are pleased with the work we are doing for the Colored people through Prof. S. T. Clanton, who teaches the Bible in the Selma University and conducts in the summer Institutes for the Instruction of Colored Preachers.

The Form of Bequest, on page 70 of the Jasper Minutes, should be continued. More than ever is the idea getting hold of our people that a most religious thing to do is, to put Christ into their wills.

## The Record Year by Year.

On page 65 of the Jasper Minutes is invaluable to brethren who wish to post themselves and should be kept standing in the Minutes. We would urge pastors to possess themselves of files of the Minutes or their libraries.

In order that the Statistics of 1912 might be preserved the Board of Directors ordered that they be printed and distributed.

## Our Auditors.

Brethren W. L. Chandler and Chas. D. Tallman deserve special mention for giving valuable time, night and day in the busiest season of the year, to the auditing of our books.

A summary of the years' work and a Financial Statement accompanies this report.

The terms of the following brethren expire this year and their places should be filled at this session:
D. C. Cooper, J. W. Minor, A. J. Dickinson, J. A. Cook, J. B. Ellis, L. Lassiter, E. T. Eckles, the latter removed from the State.

[^1]HENRY J. WILLINGHAM, President. W. B. CRUMPTON, Cor. Secretary.

# Financial Statement. <br> THE: AIABAMA BAPTIST STATE BOARO OF MISSIONS. <br> From July 5, 1912, to November 7, 1913. 

State Mission Aceount:
Contribution to State Missions
Contribution to Sunday School Work
$830,9050: 3$
1, 51! $)(3: 3$
(iti) 8.4
1.39997

Recelved from 1 lome Board on Salary Cor. Secey, Office Expenses, etc.
Received from llome Board on General Work
Received from Eoreign Board on Salary Cor. Sec'y Office, Expenses, etc

1,666 67
Received from Sunday School Board un Sunday School Work.

77163
Received from Orphanage, Aged Ministers' Fund, Ministerial Education, Howard College and Judson Collegre on Convention Minutes

43347
Received contributions to purchase Adanis Strect lot.

29905
Laymen's Movement, balance transferred
475
$907 \quad 5,972 \quad 11$
$\$ 39,06+61$
State Missions overdrawn last report
Salary Cor. Sec'y by Home Board
2,277 57
49998
75000
Salary Cor. Sec'y by State Board
1,95002
Office expenses, inclucling rent, supplies, postage, stationery and printing, telephones, telegrams, extra help, etc Birmingham
$4,449 \quad 75$
Office expenses Sunday School Department in
$68+09$
Traveling expenses of Cor. Sec'y. Assistant Cor. Sec'y., Sunday School Workers, Agents, Members of Board, Directors, Woman Organizer, Evangelists, ete

3,162 39
Expenses of State W. M. U.-... 2, 22549
Convention Minutes and Statistical Secretary
Salary of Assistant Cor. Sce'y
86145
Salary of Office Sce'y
1,75000
$1.597 \quad 50$
29990
Tract Fund transferred
12938
Tithing account transferred
1100
Pelham Emcampment account transferred
$3: 37$
Insurance, Repairs and Refurnishing, including Adding Machine and Addressograph

47177
Church Building account overdrawn
29810
Adams Street property
75000
Paid Missionaries, Evangelists, Teachers, Sun-
day School Workers, Women Organizer, etc. 23,818 92 45,983 68

Due Missionaries, ctc. -
\& 8.157 15
Outstanding obligations as follows:
Aged Ministers' Fund ..... $\$ 43014$
Bible and Colportage Fund ..... 2,522106
Bible Fund S. S. Board ..... 100
Denominational Education ..... 4668
Foreign Missions ..... 38857
Home Missions ..... 50238
Ministerial Education ..... 3760
Orphans' Home ..... 15151
Oakland Church ..... 100
Poor Fund ..... 200
Due Missionaries ..... 1,238 088,971 02
Against which we have the following:
Balance due on pledge to Baptist Headquarters ..... 28790
Repairs on Adams Street Property ..... 37100Cash in Bank
14467
Checks in safe ..... 103081387
\$ 8, 157 ..... 15
Other obligations:
Balance due on Adams Street Property ..... 3,000 00
Balance due on Adding Machine ..... $23500 \quad 3,23500$
Total indebtedness ..... $\$ 11.39215$
Home Missions:
By Contributions to Home Missions ..... \$23,552 05
By Contributions to Home Board Schools ..... 36002
By Contributions to Mountain Schools ..... 47771
By Contributions to Indians ..... 1941
By Contributions to Church and Chapel Build- ings ..... 22000
Jubilate Offering ..... 879 ..... 879
By Contributions sent to Atlanta direct ..... 24,637 98\$28,303 67
To amount paid Home Board ..... 24,735 60
To amount sent direct to Atlanta ..... \$3,665 6927,80129
Balance on hand ..... \$ 50238
Foreign Missions:
By Contributions to Fooreign Nissions, includ ing Contributions to Jubilate Offerings ..... S28, 15798
Contributions to Bible Women ..... $253 \quad 5(1)$
Contributions to Chinese Students ..... (6.3) 1,5
Contributions to Desks in China ..... 300101
Contributions to IIospitals ..... 64281
Contributions to Miss Hartwel] ..... 17.3 75
Contributions to Miss Kedly ..... $2(5235$
Contributions to Kindergartens ..... $4574!$
Contributions to A. Y. Napier ..... 7.) 6.3
Contributions to Miss MeKenzie's School ..... 2500
Contributions to Toluco Schools ..... $4+(5.5$
Contributions to Native Workers ..... 1500
Contributions to Jane Hattemer Desks ..... 2.42894
Contributions to Kathleen Mallory Hospital ..... 1,33386 6
Contributions to Warren Memorial Hospital ..... 3500
Contributions to Judson Centennial ..... 65763
Jubilate offerings ..... 805
By Contributions sent direct for Foreign Mis-sions3.05466
By Contributions sent direct for Judson Cen-tennial
$1,239134,29379$
$\$ 40,10108$
To amount paid Foreign Missions Board ..... 35,418 72
To amount sent direct to Richmond ..... $4,2937939,71251$Balance on hand$\$ \quad 388 \quad 57$

## J. C. Bush Memorial.

Baptist Headquarters:
To amount paid R. F. Ligon $\$ 14,50000$26082608
By amount received from W. B. Davidson, Trus-
teeamount reccived from H. S. D. Mallory,Trustee3.61033
By Contribution from Montgomery ..... $2.578+4+23818$
Balance due on uncollected pledges ..... \$ 28790
Improvements on Adams Street Property to amount paid for Repairs, ctc............ . . . 40000By October rents collected2900
Amount overpaid \$ 37100

Note: This property has been rented for five years and the indebtedness for improvements and interest will be liquidated from rental notes paid each month.
Church Building Fund:
By Contributions from Churches ..... $\$ 1,07190$
By amount received from Home Board Church Building ..... 1,10000
By amount received from Home Board General Work transferred ..... 50000
To amounts paid ..... 2,671 90 ..... 2,970 00
By amounts transferred to State Missions ..... \$ $298 \quad 10$
Associated Missions:
By Contributions ..... 1,373 01
To amounts paid ..... 70517
Balance transferred to State Missions\$ 66784
Encampment:
By Contributions ..... 5850
To amount paid ..... 6187
Amount overdrawn transferred to State Missions ..... 337
Bible and Colportage:
By Balance on hand last report ..... \$ 2,308 88
Contributions ..... 1,126 27
Amount received from sale of books, etc ..... 2,335 18 ..... 5,770 33To amount paid for books and expenses3,248 27
Balance on hand$\$ 2,52206$
Colleges and Schools:
By Contributions to Newton School Building ..... \$ ..... $90 \quad 10$
By Contributions to Healing Springs Well ..... 5500
By Contributions to Healing Springs Support ..... 4323
By Contributions to Howard College Library ..... 1800
By Contributions to Howard College Endowment ..... 141
To amount paid ..... 20774 ..... 20774
Demoninational Education:
By Contributions ..... \$ 1,333 72
By Contributions to Educational Commission ..... 1100
To amount paid ..... 1,298 041,34472
Balance on hand ..... $\$ 4668$
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary:
By Contributions ..... 16245
To amount paid ..... 16245
Ministerial Education:
By Contributions ..... 1,551 01To amount paid1,51341
Balance on hand\$ 3760
Aged Ministers Fund:By Contributions2,916 82
To amount paid ..... 2,486 68
Balance on hand$\$ \quad 430 \quad 14$
Baptist Orphanage:
By Contributions for Support ..... $84,214+18$ ..... 7000
By Contributions for Well ..... 38.50
To amount paid ..... $4,322!$ ..... !
Balance on hand ..... $\$ 15151$
Baptist European College:
By Balance last report. ..... (62,35
Contributions$8100 \quad 14335$
To amount paid ..... 14335
Bible Fund Sunday School Board:
By Contributions ..... 400
To amount paid ..... 300Balance on hand$\$ 100$
Guntersville Church Building:
By Contribution ..... 260
To amount paid ..... 2 60)
Laymen's Movement:
By Contributions ..... 1250775
Balance on hand transferred to State Missions ..... $\$+75$
McCollum Home:
By Contributions ..... 1675
To amount paid ..... 1675
Oakland Church:
By Contributions from W. M. U ..... 100
Balance on hand ..... 100
Poor Fund:
By Contributions ..... 700
To amount paid ..... 500Balance on hand$\$ \quad 200$
Starving People of Turkey:
By Contributions ..... $\$ \quad 1025$
To amount paid ..... \$ $\quad 1025$
Calcndars and Envelopes:
Received from sale of Calendars and Envelopes20636
Paid for Duplex Envelopes, Calendars, Freight, etc. ..... 19729
Balance on hand transferred to State Missions ..... $\$ \quad 907$
Typewriter Fund:
By Contributions ..... \$ $56 \quad 80$
Paid to M. M. Wood ..... \$ 5680

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing report of W. B. Crumpton, Secy-Treas., and upon checking up, find it accords with the entries on the books, and the dsibursements supported by proper vouchers.

We find the system obtained in the bookkeeping and office work, in our opinion, to be the best.

WILLIS CHANDLER,<br>CHAS. D. TALLMAN,<br>Auditing Committce.

## Recapitulation of Receipts.

| Object. | Pd. Thru State Board | Sent Direct | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| State Missions and Sunday School. | \$32,424 66 |  | \$32,424 66 |
| Associational Missions | 1,373 01 |  | 1,373 01 |
| Home Missions | 24,637 98 | 3,665 | 69 28,303 67 |
| Foreign Missions | 35,807 29 | 2,293 | 7940,10108 |
| J. C. Bush Memorial Headquarters | 2,578 44 |  | 2,578 44 |
| Purchase of Adams Street Lot | 29905. |  | 29905 |
| Rent Notes on Adams Street L | 2900 |  | 2900 |
| Church Building, State Board | 1.07190 |  | 1,071 90 |
| Pelham Encampment. | 5850 |  | 5850 |
| Bible and Colportage | 3,461 45 |  | 3,461 45 |
| Guntersville Church | 260 |  | 260 |
| Laymen's Moveme | 1250 |  | 1250 |
| McCollum Home | 1675. |  | 1675 |
| Oakland Chu | 100 |  | 100 |
| Poor Fund | 700 |  | 700 |
| Starving People of Turkey | 1025 |  | 1025 |
| Calendars and Envelopes | 20636 |  | 20636 |
| Typewriter Fund | 5680 |  | 5680 |
| Colleges and Schools. | 207741 | 8.670 | 710,22293 |
| Denominational Education | 1,344 72 \} |  |  |
| Southern Baptist Theological Semi | 16245 | 7,590 | $40 \quad 7,752+5$ |
| Ministerial Education | 1,551 01 | 3,585 | 26 5,136 27 |
| Aged Ministers' Fund | 2,916 82 | 1.415 | 18 4,332 00 |
| Baptist Orphanage - | 4,28428 | 19,124 | 3723,40865 |
| Baptist European College | $8100$ | W M |  |
| Bible Fund Sunday School Board | $\pm 00$ |  | $38 \quad 14038$ |
| Trust Fund | 712 |  | 712 |
| Total | 112,613 68 | ,481 | 14161,09482 |

Summary of Work Done by Missionaries for Year 1912-1913.
Number of days of service ..... 18, 135
Miles traveled ..... 152,445
Sermons ..... 7,756
Addresses made ..... 3,986
Religious services in homes ..... 5,186
Number of visits in homes ..... 28,856
Churches constituted ..... 54
Number of persons baptized ..... 1,434
Baptized by others in connection with my labors ..... 1,099
Received by letter ..... 1,638
Restored ..... 137
Sunday Schools organized ..... 109
Laties" Missionary Socicties organized ..... 81
Young Peoples' Socictios organized ..... $11!$
Number of regular preaching stations without churches ..... 78
Number of visits to preaching stations ..... 78゙2
Number of churches visited ..... 2,2ห!
Baptist Rallies attenderd ..... !1.8
Subscribers to the "Alabama Baptist" secured ..... 280
Subscribers to "Our Home Field" secured ..... 420
Subseribers to "Forcigii Mission Journal" secured ..... $4(1)$
Tracts distributed, about ..... 75,1000
Prayer Meetings organized ..... 440
Prayer Mectings held ..... $1,48:$
Number of Bibles or Testaments donated ..... 45.3
Number of books and Bibles sold... ..... 3,066
Money collected by Missionaries on the field ..... $\$ 15.73870$

On motion the report was referred to a special committee. composed of C. W. Harc, J. W. Rucker, H. B. Woodward, R. C. Conner, and L. L. Gwaltney. (See Itcm 24.)
13. After announcements the Convention adjourned to $7: 30$ P. M.

> FIRST DAY-Evening Session.
14. The Convention reassembled at $7: 30 \mathrm{P}$. M., and J. M. Springfield conducted a song Service.
15. The President called the Convention to order and James L. Thompson preached the Convention Sermon text, "And ali the City was Stirred Saying, Who is This?" Mat. 21:10.
16. The report on Home Nissions was called for and read by L. L. Gwaltncy as follows:

## HOME MISSION REPORT.

The work of the Home Mission Board from 1845 to the present more than justifies the wisdom of our fathers in the launching of such a scheme. As is well known many of our great churches which have become the bone and sinew of our denominational enterprises were helped to their feet by the timely hand of this Board. The statesman-like Dr. Tichenor, whose hand was at the helm so long, declared that between 1882 and 1885 it was the unifying efforts of the Home Board which prevented the disintegration of the Southern Baptist Convention.

## What Has the Board Accomplished?

The report of the Board at the St. Louis Convention revealed the fact that since its inauguration $\$ 7,104,000$ had been received and disbursed; that its missionaries had baptized 270,000 converts, and that 6,717 churches had been organized, or more than one-fourth of all the churches within the limits of the Convention. Of course not all of this
was accomplished independent of the State Boards, though much of it was. Within the last decade the activities of the Board have been multiplied many times as will be seen from the following comparison of figures: the first fifty-seven years of its life the Board raised in all $\$ 3,520,000$, in the last ten years $\$ 3,584,000$; in fifty-seven years it commissioned 10,586 missionaries, in the last ten years 10,407 ; baptisms for the fifty-seven years, 82,742 , for the last ten years 187,299; churches organized in fifty-seven years, 3,649 ; in the last ten 3,068 . It is readily seen then that the tabulated results of the last ten years about equal in every instance the whole life of the Board up until 1904 except in the number of baptisms, which is two and one-fourth times as large in the last ten years as in the fiftyseven year period.

## What is the Board Doing?

No detailed account of the work of the Board during the last fiscal year can here be given, but a glance at some of the totals of the combined efforts of the independent and coöperative work will, perhaps, be interesting:
Number of workers last year ..... 1,601
Weeks of labor last year ..... 40,178
Baptisms last year ..... 26,935
Received by letter last year ..... 23, 109
Total received in churches ..... 49,039 ..... 49,039

## What the Board Needs to Do.

While we are grateful to God for the benefits which make possible such a record as this, we are yet mindful of the fact that the field is not occupied and the stations are not manned and the money is not contributed in any way commensurate with our overwhelming needs. If it were possible to double the number of workers and the amounts expended in the various departments of the work, still this would not be sufficient to answer the crying needs of the times in which we live. The Negro problem is at our door still pressing for solution, and which by reason of its proximity brings with it opportunity, and opportunity obligation. The Indians in the West, of whom it is said there are as many yet alive as at any time in their history, and if the avaricious pioneer has robbed him of his lands, it is as little as we can do to give him the gospel. The great Southwest itself, could it be reached in any adequate way, would in a few years become not only a strong hold of Baptist principles, but a great factor in the extension of the gospel around the world. It has been truthfully said that the "Baptist message matches western wishes." Texas is a trophy of the Home Mission Board, and now contributes about one-sixth of all money the Convention gives to Foreign Missions. The Mountain School, with more than 150 teachers and more than 5,000 students, of whom there are more than three-score studying for the ministry, constitute not the least of our denominational assets. The influx of immigrants at such an enormous rate become at once a challenge to our patriotism and Baptist efficiency. Convert even a negligible number of those who return to their native land and they will become missionaries to their own people with the additional advantage that they are no expense to our Boards. Perhaps it is due to this very cause that have come about in the last few years a dissatisfaction with, and partial disrupture of Roman Catholic institutions in certain countries of Southern Europe. The Evangelistic department of the Board has more than justified its right to be.

Any policy is short-sighted which does not hegin with individuals who are to ixe grouped into local churehes, atl of which make up our district associations, and ath of which associations compose our state gatherings, and all of which mite in the formation of the Somthern Baptist Convention. The message of Jesus to the work is that social reform is possilble only through spiritual renewal, and spiritual renewal in its last analysis is an individual and personal affair. The new man must ante-date the new social erder that we have heard much about of late. If the evangelist and pastor-evangelist ean, under (iod, eleanse first the inside of the cup, and platter, then, perhaps, it will be pussible to teach them some other things.

All of these items demand the exercise of our best leatership, liberality and prayer. But the greatest need of Southern Baptists at present is the enlistment of our own unenlisted multitules. The oft quoted words of the late Dr. Hatcher should ever be remembered: "It is at least as essential to save what we already have as it is to sate that which is lost." Then many of our people are lost to us in all aggressive work is patent from the following consideration: There are more than ten thousand churches within the bounds of the Southern Baptist Convention that gave absolutely nothing last year to Home and Foreign Missions. And there are more than three thousand others that gave less than $\$ 5.00$ to both causes. Viewing the situation from this Convention, it does seem that there would not be a church but would have from one to five members who would give something if the matter were presented properly. It is both distressing and humiliating to have to admit that fifty-seven per cent. of all our churches are practically unenlisted in all constructive work. In Alabama alone, of our 1989 churches there were 766 that gave nothing to Home and Forcign Missions last year, while 494 gave less than $\$ 5.00$ to both causes.

Add to this the fact that many of the churches which give do it spasmodically, or what is worse, wait unti] the end of the Convention year before they pay their contributions, which invariably necessitates a degree of pain and restlessness among our people, for they are much in doubt about which way things will go. In a recent letter from the Home Board we were advised that the receipts up, to October 15th were only $\$ 55,000$, though they should have been $\$ 179,000$, if we pay as we go. This will of course entail another interest account, and all because Southern Baptists are recreant to their highest duty. And in addition to the regular channels through which we work, we must ever be mindful of the insufficiency of our church-extensions fund, which is far below certain other denominations, and which must be increased if we occupy and hold many of the important fields.

To remedy these conditions, both the Foreign and Home Boards, acting upon the instructions of the Convention, have brought into being a part of enlistment. Dr. Areh C. Cree was called to represent the Home Board in this department of its work, and is now busy in conjunction with other agencies of the Board in creating and distributing a suitable literature, in conducting educational and missionary campaigns, etc.

## Recommendations.

1. That educational and missionary meetings be held in all the District Associations by the associational leaders themselves at regular and stated times, and at the most strategic points for reaching the people. The fifth Sunday and Saturday before, in many instances, still seem the most opportune time for such meetings.
2. That a Pastors' Union be organized in each District Association
which should meet at least once a month, and in conjunction with the Executive Committee devise ways and means. If the people can be reached in the central meetings and the pastors will organize for their work good results are then ineviatble.
3. That the Associations conduct church-to-church campaigns appropriating suggestions from and utilizing the enlistment secretaries themsclves; but this can be done only after the pastors and other workers have come together in mutual good-will and in earnest effort to promote the cause. Stereopticon views of mission work will nearly always guarantee a large crowd and will do as much as any thing toward removing prejudice.
4. That Baptists everywhere preach down the annual call of ministers and preach up the formation of pastoral fields until our people shall see the need of such fields, and our churches group themselves so as to locate a pastor among them.
5. That mission literature and information be constantly disseminated The IIome Field, though said by many to be the best magazine of its kind in America, has less than 2000 subscribers in Alabama, and in many of our homes there is no denominational literature of any kind.

Respectfully submitted,
L. L. GWALTNEY,
J. A. FRENCH,
M. C. REYNOLDS.

The Convention was addressed in this interest by B. D. Gray, Corresponding Secretary of the Home Mission Board, and the report was adopted.
17. After announcements, the Convention adjourned to 9 A. M., Wednesday.

## SECOND DAY-Morning Session.

18. The Convention reassembled at 9 A. M., and J. M. Springfield conducted a prayer and Praise Service, and the President called the Convention to order.
19. Under the head of Miscellaneous Business, H. S. D. Mallory called attention to the pending amendment to the Constitution (see Item 50, Minutes of 1912), and moved its adoption. After discussion by H. S. D. Mallory, and A. J. Dickinson the Amendment was adopted.
20. The regular order was suspended and A. J. Dickinson offered the following supplement to the report of the State Board of Missions, (See Items 12 and 24.)

Your Board shall regret to see the time come when our faithful Secretary, Dr. W. B. Crumpton, may deem it necessary from a point of view of health and strength to lay aside the many burdens of the office he has so efficiently filled through a quarter of a century.

But in view of the advancing years with the wear and tear upon him of multiplying duties, we must anticipate such a time sooner or later. With a view to properly meeting such a situation whenever it shall come
in the way the Convention and your Buard woukd wish, and the nerits of the long and fathful ministry of our Secretary so richly deserve, and with a riew (o) conserving the counsel and wistom of the Sceretary to the future work of the Convention when the active duties shall fall upon another, your Board would reommend that it be empowered and aththerized to create the office of Secretary emeritus for him with a salary sufficient to matatain him in comfort, and that he be invited to accept the same as an expression of the lowe, appreciation and gratitude of the Convention he has served so tong and st) wetl.

The resolution was spoken to by A. I. Dickinson, Preston Blake, and J. A. French.
21. Harry L Strickland, Superintendent of the Sunday School Department of State Missions read the following report:

Birmingham, Ma., November II, 1913.
To the Alabama Baptist State Convention:
Dear Brethren:-At your annual meeting hekd at Jasper in July, 1912, a resolution was passed as a part of the report of the Sunday School Committee of this Convention, requesting the said committec to issue a call to the various Baptist Churches of the State to send delegates to a Convention which was to be the First Annual Convention of Baptist Sunday Schools of Alabama. Pursuant to the request in this resolution the Committee issucd the call with a result most gratifying. The Convention was held at the Baptist Encampment Grounds, Pelham Heights, on July 28-31, 1913. It was largely attended and much enthusiasm was manifest. The officers of the Convention duly elected met at Birmingham (except Mr. Finklea, who was unavoidably detained) on Tuesday, November 11, 1913, and after considering the matters in hand beg leave to offer the following recommendations and report:

That this Convention endorse the work of the Sunday School Convention thus far by approving of its action in calling the Second Annual Baptist State Sunday School Convention to be held at Pelham Heights in July 1914.

That the scope of the Sunday School Department of the State Board of Missions be enlarged to include Enlistment and Coöperative work in the Churches desiring it: that the name be changed to "The Department of Sunday Schools and Enlistments:" that conference be held with representatives of the Home Mission Board with a view of securing their cooperation in this work.

That the officers of the Sunday School Convention, and such others as they may deem wise to ask to assist, be authorized to prepare a syllabus or text-book, concise and practical, which shall cover every phase of systematic church activity and also explaining in detail the work of those in charge of all benevolences fostered by the. Southern Baptist Convention; also an outline for the study of the Bible. This book to be so constructed as to sell for 10 cents if possible, but not over 25 cents at any event, and to be used as a text-bnok in the Associational Schools to be conducted during the year.

That the officers of the Baptist State Sunday School Convention be the Standing Committee on Sunday Schools of this Convention.

The plan for work cluring the coming year as outlined by the Field Force of the Sunday School department of the State Board of Missions includes Church to Church Campaigns; $\&$ City Training Schools; 10 Insti-
tutes in towns; 300 Associational Schools and the Theological Summer School for men and women to be held at Pelham Heights in June, 1914.

The State has been divided into five districts with a Vice-President for each district, as follows: Northern District, Mr. T. M. Dix, of Decatur, Vice-President, composed of the following Associations: Lauderdale county, North Liberty, Mount Carmel, Tennessee River, Colbert, Big Bear Creek, Shady Grove, Muscle Shoals, Clear Creek, Gilliam Springs, Cullman, Marshall, DeKalb, Cedar Bluff and Cherokee. Eastern District, Mr. W. B. Castleberry, of Talladega, Vice-President, composed of Blount county, Sulphur Springs, Etowah, North St. Clair, St. Clair, Calhoun county, Cleburne, Arbacooche, Randolph county, Carey, Clay county, Coosa River, Weoguftka, Shelby county, East Liberty, Central. Western District, Mr. E. L. Dodson, Tuscaloosa, Vice-President, composed of Birmingham, Mineral Springs, Mud Creek, Bibb county, Tuscaloosa, Cahaba, North River, New River, Harmony Grove, Lamar county, Sipsey, Union, Bigbee, Bibb county, Yellow Creek. Southeeastern District, Rev. R. J. Bateman, Troy, Vice-President, composed of Montgomery, Tuskegee, Centennial, Harris, Alabama, Crenshaw, Salem-Troy, Eufaula, Coffee county, Zion, Dale county, Judson, Sardis, Geneva, Columbia, Unity, Chilton county. Southwestern District, Mr. B. B. Finklea, Monroeville, Vice-President, composed of Selma, Bethel, Pine Barren, Clark county, Bethlehem, Butler county, Conecuh, Escambia county, Elim, Mobile, Southeastern, Macedonia, Antioch and Washington county.

May God's will be done in all things.
Respectfully subinitted,
C. R. BELL, President,
T. M. DIX,
W. B. CASTLEBERRY,
E. L. DODSON,

REV. R. J. BATEMAN,
B. B. FINKLEA, Vice-Presidents.

HARRY L. STRICKLAND, Sec.-Treas.
Baptist State Sunday School Convention.
Birmingham, Ala., November 1, 1913.
Prof. II. J. W'illingham, President Baptist State Board of Missions, Montgomery, Ala.
Dear Brother:-There are now four persons employed by the State Board of Missions in the department of Sunday School work, each of whom are employed for full time.

The summary of work done by these Field Workers, which is appended hereto, shows, among other things, that a total of 43,783 miles have been travelled, 71 Sunday Schools organized, and 668 churches visited, besides a vast number of schools graded, house-to-house canvasses made, institutes and rallies held.

The plans projected by this department of the organized work in the State will be presented in detail by the Sunday School Committee of the Convention.

Permit me in my own behalf and in behalf of each member of the Field force to express our appreciation of the continued coöperation of our beloved State Mission Secretary, Dr. W. B. Crumpton, and of the office force in Montgomery.

I desire also to give voice to my feeling of love and appreciation for my co-workers, Miss Lilian S. Forbes, Mr. B. Davie and Rev. A. L. Stephens. Surely no religious worker in all this land of ours is permitted to work with more congenial and consecrated companions.
To the pastors, Sunday School offieers and teachers and God's peophe gencrally over the State who are making it possible for us to have a smatl part in the bringing in of God's Kingdom, we can only say, Thank you and God bless your.
Resperetfully submitted,

> HARRY I. STRICKIANI.Report of Harry L. Strickland, Secretary, from July 1, 1912, to Octo-her :31, 1913.
Days of service ..... 488
Miles traveled ..... 14,242
Addresses made ..... $3: 37$
Sunday Schools and B. I. P. U's organized ..... 21
Sundlay Schools Graded ..... 40)
Churches visited ..... 14.5
Issociations Attended ..... 5
Baptist Rallies ..... 61
Sunday Schoul Institutes ..... 12
Teacher Training Record November 1, 1913.
Sunday School Board Diplomas held ..... 1,619
Increase since July 1, 1912 ..... 615
Red Seals held ..... 196
Increase since July 1, 1912 ..... 89
Blue Seals held ..... 124
Increase since July 1, 1912 ..... 61
Schools reaching A-1 Standard ..... 4
Number of classes enrolled in Convention, Adult Bible Class De- partment ..... 15
Enrolled in above classes ..... 233
Report of B. Davie, Field Secretary, from July 1, 1912, to November1, 1913.
Days worked ..... 468
Miles traveled ..... 12,026
Addresses ..... 327
Sunday Schools organized ..... 40
Churches visited ..... 203
Books sold ..... 762
Collected for Pelham Heights ..... \$ 92500
Report of Rev. A. L. Stephens, Field Secretary, from December 11912, to October 31, 1913.
Miles traveled ..... 7,670
Addresses made ..... 264
Sermons preached ..... 20
Sunday Schools organized ..... 9
Sunday Schools canvassed and graded ..... 14
Churches visited ..... 197
Enrolled in Teacher Training Course ..... 318
Books Sold ..... 366
Tracts distributed. ..... 10,650
Associational Schools taught. ..... 1

Report of Miss Lilian S. Forbes, Elementary Field Worker from July 15, 1912, to October 31, 1913.









Many of the churches visited had both Cradle Roll and Home Department in name, but many of them needed encouragement and instruction as to the conduct of same. Such we endeavored to give.

Everywhere the cordial reception and hearty coöperation was a source of great encouragement to us.

LILIAN S. FORBES.
22. The Secretary read the following telegrams:

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 19, 1913.
Alabama Students send greetings and good wishes. We are praying that the Holy Spirit may guide and the Kingdom go forward.

STUDENTS.
Bessemer, Ala., Nov. 19, 1913.
The Disciples of Christ in session at Bessemer send Christian greeting. Sce Philemon 25.

BRUCE NAY, Secretary.
23. The Convention recessed for thirty minutes while the Alabama Baptist Ministerial Benefit Society held its annual meeting.
24. The Convention was called to order by the President at $10: 30$, and the special order, State Missions, was called and the Convention was addressed in this interest by J. H. Longcrier, J. W. Rucker, and S. O. Y. Ray. The subject pending, J. W. Phillips conducted Devotional exercises for fifteen minutes and State Missions was further spoken to by R.. M. Hunter, and C. W. Hare read the report of the special committee to which was referred the Annual Report of the State Board of Missions (See Item 12 and 40), as follows:

## Report of the Committee on the Report of the State Board of Missions (as amended).

Your Committeé commends most heartily the large and hopeful spirit shown in the reports, and commend the members of the Board for their wise course in purchasing Baptist Headquarters in the City of Montgomery.

Your Committee believes most heartily in the wisdom of the sugges tion as to fommeling a Baptist Sanatorium, and we recommend that a commission of five be appointed to investigate place and feasibility of undertaking such an endeavor; and that this commission shall report at the next session of this Convention.

We commend the work of Colportage, and urge that that cause be pushed as far and as fast as means can be obtained therefor.

The wisdom of having Evangelists under the control of the State Board is beyond controversy, but your Committee would urge specially the necessity of employing Vvangelists for the Mining Districts, and also suitable men to work among the cotton mill uperatives in the State.

The matter of church-grouping is one of supremest importance, but as your committee sees it this work must be left largely to the Executive Committees and pastors of the Associations.

The churches and Sunday Schools ought by all means to raise all of the money for the support of the Sunclay School Department, so as to relieve the State Mission Fund.

The churches and Associations ought to give heartiest support to the Enlistment Secretaries as they come among them.

In conclusion, we recommend that brethren W. W. Campbell, W. P. Wilkes, M. C. Reynolds, J. E. Herring, E. H. Jennings, J. D. Ray, W. D. Hubbard, and 1). F. Green be appointed as a commission, which shall, during the coming year, make a careful study and a thorough examination of the organization, plans and methods of this body, with a view to determining whether or not they are best adapted for cliciting, combining and directing the energies of Alabama Baptists and for securing the highest efficiency of our forces and the fullest possible enlistment of our people for the work of the Kingdom in the eritical and strategetic time in which we live and serve; and to recommend to the Convention of 1914 such changes and modification, if any, as in their judgment would increase the effectiveness of the Convention and the devotion of our people as servants of the Lord Jesus Christ for the world's redemption.

That in the prosecution of this sturly the Commission shall be authorized to incur any legitimate expense for traveling and other items necessary to its task, the same to be paid by the State Board of Missions.

Respectfully submitted.
The Convention was further addressed by C. W. Hare, A. I. Preston, J. S. Stodghill, J. F. Gable, J. R. Edwards, W. B. Crumpton, Corresponding Secretary; H. W. Woodward, and the Convention adjourned to $2: 00 \mathrm{P}$. M.

## SECOND DAY-Afternoon Session.

25. The Convention reassembled at 2 P . M., and J. M. Springfield conducted a Prayer and Praise service, and the president called the Convention to order.
26. H. S. D. Mallory addressed the Convention on the report pending at the adjournment of the morning session (See Item 24), and the further discussion was suspended, and reading reports was called for.
27. The report of the Board of Aged and Infirm Ministers was read by H. B. Foster as follows (See Item (52):

## REPORT OF ANNIE H. TOWNSEND, SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF AGED AND INFIRM MINISTERS' RELIEF FUND.

In presenting this, the fourth annual report of the Board of Aged and Infirm Ministers' Relief Fund of the Alabama Baptist State Convention, your Secretary's heart is filled with a keen sense of gratitude to the noble men whose interests are herein set forth.

## Officers and Committees for the Year 1912-1913.

President-H. B. Foster, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Secretary-Annie H. Townsend, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Treasurer-R. F. Manly, Chamber of Commerce, Birmingham, Ala.
Executive Committee-J. W. Minor, G. M. Morrow, T. H. Johnson.
Finance Committee-D. H. Marbury, C. A. O'Neal, Ernest Lamar.
Relief Committee-W. M. Anderson, H. J. Willingham, C. A. O'Neal.
Auditing Committee-J. W. Minor, W. H. McKleroy, W. W. Campbell.
Publishing Committee-G. W. Macon, W. M. Anderson, H. J. Willingham.

It will be necessary for the Convention to elect the successors of Ernest Lamar, W. M. Anderson, H. J. Willingham and C. A. O'Neal, whose terms expire this year (1913).

## Resume of Year's Work.

During the year we have assisted 28 beneficiaries. The amount paid to each of our venerable brethren who is now on the regular list of beneficiaries of said fund is $\$ 10.00$ per month. Last year we reported only 19 beneficiaries. We have now over 26 on the list. Last year the total amount of contributions reported was $\$ 2,865.13$, while this year the total amount contributed for current support is $\$ 4,332.74$ for 16 months. See itemized report of the Treasurer for financal report.

The President has in his possession six applications for aid from this fund, which are being held for lack of money. The Board aided in the burial of Rev. L. M. Stone of Mobile, Ala., to the amount of $\$ 25.00$. There has been one death among the regular beneficiaries during the past year, that of our dear old brother, G. B. Wade, of Phil Campbell. It is with saddened hearts that we think of the very short time that is given us in which to help these who have ministered unto us for more than half a century, however, we realize that our great loss is their eternal gain.

## The Pastor the Pivotal Man.

In this, as in all other interests of the kingdom of God, the pastor is the pivotal man. The pastoral office is the highest office on earth. How manifold and complex and difficult their problems; how heavy and taxing their burdens; yet how bravely they face the problems and bear the burdens. Not a word of disesteem of these noble men in their work. All honor for them in the bonds of the gospel. Yet it may be said that a goodly number of the Alabama pastors have not seemed rightly to understand and value the work of this particular board. When a pastor is content to go through the year without even a sermon on this noble work or a dollar's contribution to the cause by his people, something is wrong. Strange to say, some of our pastors feel that they can talk or preach on any other object fostered by the Baptist Denomination, but can not find a message on caring for God's children. What means, "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye did it unto Me," or "Even so hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the gospel should live of the gospel," "Withhold not good from them to whom it is
due, when it is in the power of thy hand (1) to $1 t$, " "Cast me not off when I am old: forsake me not when my strength faileth," "He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth untes the loorl; and that which he hath will he pay him again." What means all of this? With haarts unuterably full of gratitude to (ioxl and to the pastors for all their splendid and heroic service in behalf of this molde cause, we would, with all love, antreat you to do yet more.

## Conclusion.

How do you treat our "old folks," laymen? These old preachers of the same gospel and the same Christ as you. Do you look upon them as the "ambassadors" for Christ, as though (ionl hatd besought you by them? Do you treat them as the ministers loy whom you believer unto salvation? Do you? Have you listened to their ery for bread, and for shelter, and for elothing and for fuel? (or have you turned a deaf ear to their ery? "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of them, ye have done it unto Me." And this is not all; the same God hats atse said: "Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry but shall not be heard." Friends, do you fear the God whom you have preached? There is nothing truer in His Word than that if we ignore His needy and hungry servants we, too, shall ery in the distress of our poverty. And there is nothing truer than that if we have ignored the cry of distress of His people, we shall cry in our want, and He and His people will-nay, shatlIGNORE our cry.

Did not these old ministers, for whom I am pleading, bring the message of life to you? Did not they bring the story of His death for you? Have they not been your best friend, yes, truest friend? When in the days of sorrow, and when the storm of anguish broke over your life, whose heart was it that you leaned your bursting head against? It was your pastor's. Who was it that said unto you, in time of trouble, "Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I thee. In the name of Nazareth, rise up and walk!' and these good words brought help and healing to your soul? It was your pastor. Then in the name of this same Christ who died for the old ministers of Alabama, as well as for you, I ask you to do more for this cause in 1914, that the Board may render aid to all who are deserving and who cry unto us for help, and that next year there may not be one application reported "held on file for lack of funds."
"We shall be so kind in the after while, But what have we been today?
We shall bring to each lonely life a smile, But what have we brought today?
We shall give to truth a grander worth, And to steadfast faith a dceper worth,
We shall feed the hungering soul of earth, But whom have we fed today?
We shall reap such joys in the by-and-hy, But what have we been today?
We shall buik us mansions in the sky, But what have we built today?
'Tis sweet in idle dreams to bask, -But here and now, do we do our task?
Yes, this is the thing our souls must ask:
What have we done today?"
Respectfully submitted,
ANNIE H. TOWNSEND, Secretary.

# Report of R. F. Manly, Treasurer of Aged and Infirm Ministers' FundCurrent Support. 

| Balance on hand at last report, see Min- <br> utes, page 31 .-........................-. $\$ 1,92644$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Checks then outstanding | 3165 |  |
|  |  | 1,894 79 |
| Total collections--------------------- 4,33274 |  |  |
| Disbursements |  |  |
| Expenses of Secretary's office | \$ | 14249 |
| Salary of Secretary - |  | 40000 |
| Transferred to Endowment Account |  | 70000 |
| Part of printing minutes |  | 3612 |
| Funcral expenses of Rev. L. M. Stone ---.-.-.-.-.-.-. 2500 |  |  |
| Special contributions to Reverend Co | lmer, and | 8159 |
| Regular beneficiaries |  | 3,450 00 |

Balance on hand
\$ 1,392 33
Respectfully submitted,
R. F. MANLY, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct:
S. P. FOWLKES, Auditor.

Birmingham, Ala., November 18, 1913.

## Endowment Account.


Outstanding investments.....................................-2,000 00
From Current Support account_-.......................... 70000




## Disbursements




Loaned Nelson Money
$35000 \quad 3,37500$
Balance at present in bank
\$ $68 \quad 17$
Outstanding investments, in First Mortgage notes, secured by real estate and bearing 8 per cent.
interest:


S. H. Wilkes----------------------------------- 50000

Geo. Reeve-----------.-------------------------- 60000
Respectfully submitted, $\quad 3,25000$
R. F. MANLY, Treasurer.

Examined and found correct:
S. P. FOWLKES, Auditor.

Birmingham, Ala., November 18, 1913.
28. The report of the Trustees of the Alabama Central Female College was read by H. B. Foster, as follows:

## REPORT OF ALABAMA CENTRAL FEMALE COLLEGE

To the Alabama Baptist State Convention:
At the last Convention this Board was recpuested (in pursuance of resolution adopted by it) to confer with the Board of Trustees of the University of Alabama, and ascertain upon what terms title to the College property may be obtained. This question was submitted to the University Board, and investigation of the legal status ordered, report made; but one question still remains undetermined, and upon that we are compelled to await further actions.

Number of students at the College for year 1912-13, 10:3; number of graduates in literary department, 18; graduates in piano, 21; received diplomas in Bible work, 19. The Convention Manual was used in the Bible work, but supplemental work was also reguired. It was the purpose to give the mountain peaks of every book in the Bible and every period. The Krishna Pal Missionary Soeicty agreed to support one native missionary. The religious life of the school was quekened and by one weeks' work of Dr. A. C. Davidson. The attendance the present year is better than it has been for three years past. The work of the school is progressing splendidly. We are glad to report that there is no debt, but the school is badly in need of equipment.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY B. FOSTER, Pres. Board of Trustees,
Alabama Central Female College.
29. The report of the Trustees of the Orphan's Home was read by W. C. Crumpton as follows) See Item 53 ):

## TWENTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF LOUISE SHORT BAPTIST WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' HOME OF ALABAMA.

## To the Babtist State Convention of Alabama:

Dear Brethren:-On March the 10th last, we celebrated the twentieth anniversary of the Orphanage, and on that occasion we were honored by the presence of many of our people as well as a number of former boys and girls who had been reared in the Home.

There are 139 children in the Orphanage at this time teing a net increase of 47 since our last report. The increase in number has been unusual within the past sixtecn months, but we have endeavored to exercise due care to see that the Institution was rot imposed upon and at the same time we have tried to care for all worthy children coming to us. Many of the cases presented have been pathetic in the extreme, and the Home provided by the Baptists of Alabama has been a great blessing to these children. This increase of more than $\bar{j} 0$ per cent. in the number of children brings greatly increased responsibilities and calls for more generous giving on the part of our people. We regret in have to report an unusually large debt at this time, though this may be partially explained by stating that we are making our report just at the beginning of the period when we usually get most of our money. In the next place, the increased cost of living has had its part as well as the fact that we have had to expend large sums for repairs on our buildings and for furnishings in these buildings. However all of our work along this line has been lone
with a view to permanency and at the same time using the money to the best advantage.

On account of the greatly increased number of children in the Orphanage, we have been compelled to open up and furnish one of the buildings that has been idle for several years. We are now confronted with the fact that our dining hall is too small, and so we are preparing to build a new kitchen, and in this way get more room.

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& \text { Since last report, we have received -.-.-.................... } 65 \text { children. }
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Leaving the number November 1st -- .---------------- } 139
\end{aligned}
$$

By referring to the financial report it will be seen that a considerable sum has been expended in trying to get a flowing well on our property. Had we succeeded in this undertaking the income from the surplus water would have made it a splendid investment. We failed on the first well and are now engaged with another, which is nearly 600 feet deep, and we are hoping for success in this last effort.

We have installed an electric light plant in the buildings and hope to solve the water problem in the near future. Of course there are many other items of expense not easily itemized and yet aggregating a considerable sum.

The general character of the work being done in the Orphanage has improved, and the denomination we think has reason to be proud of its Institution. Of course the coming of so many new children brings new problems. The average age of the children has been greatly reduced, which in itself makes it more difficult to carry on the work of the Home, since these children are too young to render much assistance.

The health of the children continues good. We thank God for having spared our large flock another year. Not a single death for more than six years is our remarkable record.

We are glad to report that twenty-eight of the children have joined the church during the past year.

Your attention is especially called to our little publication sent out from the Orphanage under the title of "Our Children." Our people have been very generous in supporting this undertaking and we are enabled to report a small profit from the venture. The paper has been a wonderful help in keeping the Orphanage before our people as well as giving them a real insight into the work we are doing. We know of no way in which you can help us more than by giving the paper a large list of subscribers. The subscription price of 25 cents per annum puts it easily within the reach of all. The first year of the paper has just closed, and we have about 3,000 subscribers.

The Sunday Sehools have continued their hearty support, for which we are thankful. We will soon send out our annual appeal for a Christmas offering from the schools, and they have never failed to respond.

The ear of corn from the Tennessee River Association as well as the generous supply of syrup from other Associations, have been a great help to us. And then our good women as usual have been helpful in providing good warm cover for our chitdren as well as many other useful articles. The loyalty of our people generally to the Orphanage has been an inspiration to us all. We look to the future trusting to profit by the experiences we have had. We have never lost sight of the fact that if the work is well done that our people will support it. These children are the children of the denomination, and it should be the pleasure of each of us to brighten their lives as best we can and above all else give them the opportunity of such training as thy need so as to lead them into lives of greatest usefulness.

Wie cannot chose this report without recorting our appreciation of the menting zeal and efliciency of wur brother, M. C. Reynolds, the General Manager of the Heme, whose efforts are tepling sto mobly in the efficieney of our work, and for the canse of Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
WII. C. CRUMPTON, President.
Financial statement from July 1, 1912, to July 1, 1913.
General Expense Funds:
Reccipts
To Balance from last statement \& $40!3.38$
General Receipts.......................631 $1: 3$
Loans from Banks.
Farm Products Sold 8.25000

Surplus from Endownent
32970
Specinl from estate Jiss Fallinsbee-_ 3.3
Special from estate Miss Fallinsbee 33:3 33
Special from estate Mrs. E. R. Tidmore
(1) 00

Profits from "Our Children"
$185 \quad 50$

## Disbursements


Officers Salaries
5,241 60
Notes to Banks.............................. $\quad 4,25000$
Expense Artesian WCll (see well expense) 2,680 62
For Well horing machinery ........ 80000
Infirmary Expense (see sjecial statement) - 1,36914
Repairs and Improvements ........... 42151
Water and Lights . . . . . 42256
Two mules - 40000
Salary and Traveling Expense Rev. S. O. Y $\quad 4659$
Ray
Interest paid on loans. . 330 90
Freight Paid … 34227
New Berls, Girl's Building $\quad 22127$
Stamps and Postage... 20231
Fruit Trees .......... 14370
Our share Convention Ninutes 10834
Clothing for children (not provided for) ..... 18065
Cash on hand July 1, 1913................. 14698

## Statement Endowment Funds July, 1912, to July, 1913.

## Receipts

From rentals Mrs. Woodson's property_... $\$ 1,86595$
Less Repairs, Taxes, Commissions.
etc... . . $492 \quad 29 \$ 1.37 .366$
Interest from loans . . . . . . . 339 60
Sale of cows.
17500
Disbursements
For Repairs and Improvements. .................. 1.32375
Electric Light Outfit
30930
Salaries Industrial Department ... ........... 30000

## Statement Endowment Funds, July 1 to November 1, 1913.

Receipts
Rents Woodson Property ..... $\$ 59500$
Disbursements
Street assessments, commissions, etc ..... 18251
Salaries Industrial Department ..... 10000
Repairs and Improvements. ..... 1648444735
Balance carried to General Account ..... $\$ \$ 14765$
Infirmary Expense July, 1912, to July, 1913.
Paid Physician ..... 30000
Physicians' back salary ..... 7500
Matron ..... 36000
Beds and bedding ..... 26700
Drug bills and cost of two operations. ..... $367 \quad 14$
Included in general statement ..... \$1,369 14

This is to certify that I have examined the books of the Orphanage and find them correct and well kept.

## J. T. GAILLIARD, Accountant.

30. The report of the Board of Ministerial Education was read by J. R. Edwards as follows:

## REPORT OF BOARD OF MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

Your Board wishes to express its gratitude to God and the brethren for the degree of prosperity that has attended our work this year. Especially is it gratifying to note that more of the larger churches have given to this cause than usual, though the burden of this work still rests in the main upon the country and village churches. This is somewhat surprising in view of the universal demand of the larger churches for an educated ministry. A little more attention on the part of the pastors will remedy this defect.

Still the young men are coming in good numbers. Last session fortyfive came to Howard College and sixteen went to the Seminary, as reported by Brother Smith. Several also were in school at other institutions, two of whom were aided in a small way by our board. The indieations are that this present session will show a still larger attendance, both at Howard, the Seminary, and other institutions.

A comparative statement showing the attendance and contributions for the last five years might be of interest to you.

| Session | Howard College | Seminary | Amount Given |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1909 | -. . 53 | 20 | \$2,830 83 |
| 1910 | -51 | 12 | 1,406 70 |
| 1911 | - 56 | 18 | 2,891 93 |
| 1912 | .43 | 19 | 3,261 73 |
| 1913 | --45 | 16 | 4,809 27 |
|  | -49 | 17 | \$3,049 86 |

Grateful for the increased contributions for the past year, your Board would still like to call attention to the fact that our receipts are not adequate to meet all the demands upon us.

We ought by all means to have $\$ 8,000.00$ another year for this work.

> W. M. BLACKWELDER.
J. A. HENDRICKS.

Financial Statement June 1, 1912, to November 1, 1913.


## J. A. HENDRICKS, Treasurer.

I have examined the financial statement of J. A. Hendricks, Treasurer, and find same correct and supported by proper vouchers.
S. P. FOWLKES, Auditor.
31. The report of the Trustees of Judson College was read by Ernest Lamar, as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF JUDSON COLLEGE.

## President Robert G. Patrick.

The resignation of Dr. R. G. Patrick, who has been the honored and efficient President of the Judson since 1896, was the occasion of much grief to the Trustees of the Judson. For under his Presidency the Judson had made most noteworthy advance. The large debt then resting upon this beloved institution was paid off during the first year of his administration. The Annex, furnishing accommodation for 60 pupils, was built. Then followed the large Alumnae Auditorium with its 50 music rooms. And then the Carnegie Library was built, and then the President's Home. Each of these buildings, with the exception of the Annex, necessitated the purchase of more land. And in addition the home of Judge John Moore, with adjoining land, was purchased. It is this growth which is the explanation of the debt now resting upon the Judson. The debt came because the Judson grew. The debt could have been avoided if the President had been willing for the Judson not to grow, but happily for the Baptists of Alabama and for the cause of Christ he was not willing.

In addition to the above under the leadership of President Patrick
many important internal improvements were made-among them the establishment of the Infirmary. We do not believe that in any institution more care is taken of the health of the pupils than at the Judson. The efficient health officer exercises personal oversight in the case of each student.

It was also under President Patrick's administration that the Judson Female Institute became the Judson College, a "Standard" College-we would say an "A". College only-the Judson has not yet sufficient endowment, and maintains in the same building with the College a most excellent Academy where pupils who are not yet ready for college may receive most excellent training. None the less it does the work of the " A " College.

All the above and more was accomplished under the leadership of Dr. Patrick. So it was with sincere grief that the Trustees learned of his failing health and were compelled because of it to accept his resignation.

## President Paul V. Bomar.

This occurred the latter part of last July. The Trustees counted themselves fortunate in securing Pastor Paul V. Bomar, of the Siloam Church, who had been associated with Dr. Patrick in the Judson work for 16 years, and for some time the Vice-President, and asked him to take the Presidency. The happy opening on September 18 th showed clearly that the Lord in His mercy was still smiling upon the Judson. The attendance is considerably above that of last year. So far 230 pupils have registered, and the work of the school is moving along smoothly. A great and blessed future is in store for our school if only we will do our full duty by her. For the Judson cannot become what she ought to become and what God means for her to be if we leave her alone and do little or nothing for her. God's purpose for the school can be accomplished only through us.

## God's Will for Us and the Judson.

What is God's will for us and the school? Is not it first of all that we shall free her, free her from this burden of debt? Is it not that we shall free her, free her for the work to which He has called her-free her by providing a more adequate equipment and endowment?

A new Science Hall would greatly help. The age demands that our young women as well as our young men be thoronghly grounded in the sciences. This work at the Judson is exceedingly well done, and the laboratory equipment is the equal in efficient service if not in extent to that of many of our larger universities. But a Science Hall would render great service.

A Gymnasium with its swimming pool and other accessories would bring much benefit.

A Domestic Science Department has become a pressing necessity. Will not some friend or friends give us the necessary money? Many pupils were lost last year because we did not teach Domestic Science, and the President has promised that the Judson will have a well equipped department by the opening of the next session.

Then there is the endowment. We must never lose sight of this even when paying off the debt; for the first paying off the debt is the first step in an onward movement for a larger endowment. Last spring some of the Judson teachers and alumnae started a movement to raise ten thousand dollars to endow the chair of Bible and Philosophy. Some three
thonsand dollars was raised in cash and pledges. Several of our churehes have recently sent in contributions for the Judson, and they have been applied to this fund.

## The Board of Lady Visitors.

Last May at the Diamond Jubilee an abvanee was made in the appointment of Board of Latly Visitors to assist the Trustees and the management of the Judson in every way possible. It was due to them that the whole interior of the Judson was renovated last summer. The slepping rooms were re-calcimined and the woonwork painted and were made in every way as attractive as possible. The class rooms were treated in the same manner. This Board consists of Mrs. Beastey, of Birmingham; Mrs. B. F. Ehmore, Demopolis; Mrs. Clatale Bixler, of Mobile; Mrs. L. G. Dawson, Montgomery; Mrs. K. L. Sutton, Orrville: Mrs. John Asheraft, of Florence; Mrs. W. H. Lovelace, Marion.

## Diamond Jubilee.

At the Commencement last May the Judsom celebrated its seventyfifth ammal session with a great Diamond Jubilec. The celebration was supremely worth while. The Pageant was such as the Judson alone could have had and was worth coming hundreds of miles to see. We cannot be too grateful to those who conceived and executed these plans. The celebration marked, we believe, the beginning of a new epoch in Judson's history. Thankful for the past the Judson has turned her face with a stronger faith, a more unselfish love, and an undying hope towards the future. She looks to the Baptist of the state to whom she belongs and for whom she has wrought so nobly the past seventy-five years for sumpathy and help. Shall she look in vain? For thirty-eight years Caleb and Joshua were kept out of their own because the others would not believe. How long will the Judson be kept out of her own, because Alabama Baptists will not believe? Let us go up at once and take the land, for we are well able.

## Election of Trustees.

We call attention to the fact of five vacancies in the Board of Trustees, four by expiration and one that of our beloved J. S. Carroll by death.' These vacancies are to be filled by the Convention - B. F. Ellis, F. P. Nichols, A. T. Dickerson, Ernest Lamar are the four whose terms expire.
32. The report of the Trustees of the Industrial Academy at Healing Springs, Ala., was read by Charles C. Smith as follows:

## To The Alabama Baptist State Convention: Enterprise, Ala.

Bretliren:-Wc beg to submit herewith the following report of the condition of our school here:

During the session of 1912-1913, we enrolled 65 pupils who paid tuition and fees $\$ 500$. This, with the $\$ 400$ paid by the Educational Commission and the $\$ 455$ paid by the State Board (Dr. Crumpton) enabled us to employ one assistant teacher. The teacher of music, being resident, took the music class on its merits.

We made some improvements on fence and grounds at a cost o
$\$ 50.00$. Our water system is practically complete, except bathroom outfit, at the following cost:

| Cost of Erecting Tower and ma | $\begin{aligned} & 7500 \\ & 6300 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3000 gallon Cypress Tank, delivered |  |  |
| $\pm$ H. P. Gasoline Engine, \$79.50; freight on same $\$ 14.50$ - | 9400 |  |
| Boring well 82 feet, @ 35 cents, $\$ 28.70$; Cypress Curbing, $\$ 6.00$ | 3470 |  |
| Pump, pipe connections, etc | 6469 \$ | 33139 |
| Grand Total paid for Improvements | \$ | 38139 |
| Of this amount State Board paid | 5500 |  |
| Local Trustees. | 6720 | 12220 |
| Amount unpaid | \$ | 25919 |
| Amount needed for Bathroom set and Sewerage (estimated) |  | 12500 |

Balance needed to pay outstanding accounts and
install Bath and Closet
If you are in sympathy with our efforts to improve conditions here, can't you help us now to the amount of $\$ 200$ ? If so, we will undertake to raise the balance, and promise to have the work finished within six weeks as the pipes are now ready to be connected.

We further recommend that appropriation for maintenance and improvements be set apart now for the next three years, and that this amount be not less than $\$ 1200$-one hundred of which shall be used for improvements, on condition that we raise a like sum. This will enable us to plan our work accordingly.

The next thing in the way of improvements that will claim our attention is the painting of the building, which we hope to have done before school closes in the spring.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. C. SMITH, Principal.
Approved,

> H. C. CAUSEY,
> J. E. MCLEMORE,
> W. J. BLOUNT,

Trustees.
The report was referred to a committee composed of I. A. White, E. M. Stewart, L. M. Bradley, J. H. Creighton, and R. M. Hunter. (See Item 59.)
33. The report of the Trustees of the Baptist Collegiate Institute, Newton, was read by A. W. Tate as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BAPTIST COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

## Fifteenth Annual Session.-Closing June 1, 1913.

With hearts of gratitude, we come to offer our report on the best year's work in the history of our school.

In contrast with an old, dilapidated wooxen building, a few years age, we now enjoy the luxury of a handsome lrick building, warmed by stean and furnished throughout with new furniture of the best make. Six new pianos are now in use, five typewriters, two sewing machines, and a splendid Domestic Science uutfit.

Ten happy teachers and B60 students extend to the Baptist of Alabamat their grateful thanks for all the contributions and prayers that helped in bringing the comforts we now enjoy.

The enrollment for the past year was 360 ) of this number 250 were boarding students. The personel of the student body was never better, and the work they did was highly satisfactory.

Nearly all who were not Christians on entering, joined the church during the year and the spirit of loyalty and devotion marked their daily life.

New departments have been added till now we have the following: A grood literary course; a teacher's training course; an excellent music course; a practical commercial course; an excellent Domestic Science Department; and a good expression course.

The young preachers have a class for Bible study and are doing good work. There is a Suntlay school training class, conducted by one of our teachers, Miss Lizzie Morton. The work is gratifying as quite a number of Blue seals have already been awarded.

Each morning, before lessons, a short period is occupied with Bible reading in all the rooms. This work is conducted by the several teachers.

We had in school with us last year fourteen young preachers, most of whom intend to go higher in their preparation for the great work to which they are called.

The graduating class was the largest in the history of our schoolsixteen noble young men and women received their diplomas and one finished the music course.

From all these good things reported we now turn to the business affairs of our Institution.

We owe a large debt for furniture, pianos, and other equipment, all of which is of the very best quality, besides a good round sum for the old bonds sold to erect the building which was burned in January, 1912. Our indebtedness in the aggregate, amounts to a little more than $\$ 8000$, some of which must be met December 1st and others January 1st. Our people of Newton have pledged $\$ 1000$ to help in the liquidation of these debts, but we cannot pay it all at once, and ask your assistance, as you have so nobly done in the past.

One dark page in our history, almost in the beginning of the present year, claims our profound attention. With hearts burdened with grief we report the loss of one of our strongest and most beloved trustees, Dr. S. M. C. Howell, who died suddenly a few weeks ago. We mourn this loss and pray for another to take his place.

Sincerely yours,
B. P. POYNER, President Board Trustees.
34. The report of the Trustees of Howard College was read by W. A. Davis as follows:

## REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HOWARD COLLEGE.

Our last report to the Convention made at Jasper, July, 1912, covered the scholastic year, 1911-1912. Sixteen months having elapsed, the present report must cover a longer period of our stewardship, than is usual.

Session 1912-1913 began September 11th, and closed May 28th. From the opening of the session to January 1st, the College was without a President; Mr. A. J. Moon, Chair of Greek and Latin, as Chairman of the Faculty, performed with credit the duties of President. The items of interest during the session 1912-1913 are as follows: One hundred and sixty-three students were enrolled, of these ninety-five were in the College proper, and sixty-eight in the Academy. The Faculty consisted of eleven men-eight in the College and three in the Academy. The new President came to his duties January 1st, 1913.

The death of Mr. M. A. Hoffman, an instructor in the Academy, was an event which brought real grief to the College, as well as to friends all over the State.

The graduates were eleven in number, four of whom go to strengthen the ranks of our Baptist ministry. During the session two young men from the student body announced themselves for the Gospel ministry. The total enrollment of young ministers for the session was 45 .

Session 1913-1914 opened September 10th. Total enrollment to date is exactly equal to total enrollment last session. By the beginning of the second term the enrollment should show a gratifying increase over last session. Total enrollment of students for the ministry is 44 .

The Trustees desire to call attention to some special items: (1) Howard College Academy is now Howard College High School. The organization consists of four instructors-men of college and university experience.
(2) The College now admits to its classes resident young women. Ten of these young women have matriculated, and are proving themselves to be most satisfactory students.
(3) During the summer vacation the trustees negotiated a loan of fifteen thousand dollars, which has been used to pay some floating indebtedness, to make some much needed improvements, and to make additional laboratory equipment.
(4) The Board acknowledges with gratitude the gift of a drinking fountain. The donor is Dr. Carey P. McCord, Detroit, Michigan. The gift is installed in the lobby of the Main Building, where faculty and students drink daily from an ever flowing fountain.
(5) The present indebtedness of the College is between twenty-three and twenty-five thousand dollars. The Board calls upon all friends of the College, and lovets of education to join most heartily in the Debt Paying Campaign.
(6) In order that all expenses for current year may be met the College should receive from the Christian Education Fund not less than three thousand dollars by June 1, 1914.
(7) The Board confidently reports your College in the very best condition for rendering service to the public. The Faculty both in equipment and spirit; the unity and enthusiasm of the student body; the library and laboratory equipment; the neatness and beauty of the buildings and campus; the conditions for the health comfort of the students are better than cver before in the long and useful life of Howard College.
(8) The loss, by death, of Mr. J. S. Carroll from the Board is yet keenly felt.
(9) We report to the Convention twelve vacancies in the membership of our Board, one by death, five by resignation, and six caused by expiration of term of service.

JAMES B. ELLIS, President of Board.
35. The report of the Trustecs of the Howard College Endowment Fund was read by W. A. Davis as follows:

## HOWARD COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND.

To tha Alabama Baptist State Convention:
I sulmit the eighth ammal report as follow:
Receipts for the year.

| 13atance on hame July 26,1912 | 8 1,3-37 87 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Receised from sundry persons on Principal | $8 \quad 20150$ |  |
| Collected for Interest on Loans. | 7 7, (is, 307 |  |
| Rent of Peevey houses (mortgage foreelosed) | 7210 | 7, 3.2050 |
|  |  | 12,304 |

Disbursements for the year.


## Recapitulation for Eight Years.

Net Rcceipts

| General Education Board | $\$ 21.70000$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Other Contributors and J. C. Bush Bequest | ( 04.685 ) 00 |
| Interest Collected | 24,06511 |
| Rent of Peevey houses (Mortgage foreclosed) | 7200 |

Net Disbursements.


The Endowment Fund is earning at this time seven and six-tenths per cent. per annum. It became necessary last year to foreclose a loan of $\$ 1,000$, but it is hoped that the property can be so handled as to avoid a loss.

> Fraternally submitted, $$
\text { WM. A. DAVIS, Treasurer. }
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36. The report of the Educational Commission was read by W. A. Davis as follows (See Item 63):

## REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL COMMISSION.

To the Alabama Baplist State Convention:
The Educational Commission has held four sessions during the past year.

Dr. Robert G. Patrick acted as Corresponding Secretary, beginning his work about August 1, 1912, and resigning on account of ill health on June 1, 1913. The Commission decply regrets, as does the denomination, the necessity for his cessation of the work for which with vigorous health, he was eminently qualified. We have made diligent effort during the past six months, but without success, to secure a Corresponding Secretary.

By reason of the necessity arising from the destruction of its building by fire, the Commission has devoted its special attention during the year to Newton Institute, with the result of erecting a new building.

The Unity-Chilton High School, at Thorsby, which is in charge of Prof. N. W. Henson, as Principal, with Rev. W. M. Olive as Financial Agent, and which has been fostered especially by those two Associations, desires the recognition of the Convention as one of our schools.

About 150 churches have contributed to our work, a large proportion giving regular and putting the work on the same basis as our Missionary interests.

The Consolidated report of the Treasurer shows the financial transactions of the year.

Owing to the continued illness of Dr. Patrick, this brief report is submitted by

WM. A. DAVIS, Recording Secretary.

## Financial Report of Educational Commission.

To the Alabama Baptist State Convention:
I submit the third annual report of the Treasurer of the Alabama Baptist Educational Commission as follows.:

## Receipts

Balance on hand, July 26, 1912, General Fund _--...-\$ 28599



Judson College
2,071 82
Newton Institute
4,742 29
Ala. Central Female College
797710,22293

## Disbursements



> Balance in Anniston-City National Bank, November 18, 1913................................... Fraternally submitted,

IVM. A. DAVIS, Treasurer.
The report was referred to a Committee composed of C. Ross Baker, A. W. Briscoe, T. W. Palmer, J. A. Cook and C. E. Crossland. (See Item 64).
37. The report on Sunday Schools was read by Harry L. Strickland, and the report was spoken to by H. L. Strickland, W. F. Yarbrough R. J. Bateman, and adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

We desire first to commend to the Brethren the work of the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Since its organization in 1891 it has gone steadily forward, its sphere of usefulness constantly widening until now the munificent hand of the Board may be seen in almost every Benevolent work of the Denomination.

The profit derived from the sale of Periodicals and books is all turned back to the Denomination in one form or another.

During the year ending May 31, 1913, the gifts of the Board to the Denomination in monev amounted to $\$ 84,261.15$, of which $\$ 30,790.19$ went for Sunday School Field work.

During the past year the building formerly occupied by the Board and which was purchased ten years ago for $\$ 60,000.00$ was sold for $\$ 200$, 000.00 which amount was re-invested in the magnificent new building just completed and occupied on Sth Ave. in Nashville, Tenn.

This building will be dedicated to the use of the Southern Baptist Convention at the meeting of the Convention in May, 1914.

We recommend the use of all the Literature prepared by the Board for use in the Sunday Schools. Especially would we call attention to the series of Graded Lessons adopted by our Lesson Committec from the International Graded Lessons to suit our particular needs.

These Graded Lessons arc now prepared for Beginners, Primary, Junior and Intermediate Departments of the Sunday School.

We recommend that this Convention approve the suggestions made in the report of the Officers of the Baptist State Sunday School Convention.

We recommend that the Churches be requested to co-operate in this work by contributing in their Sunday Schools one offering quarterly and that those following the Calendar urge the brethren to remember liberally Sunday Schools and Colportage and that the Second Sunday in September be set apart for a special Sunday School offering for this department of the work of the State Mission Board.

We have no desire to multiply organizations within the Associations. We earnestly hope however, that each Association will, through its Executive Committee appoint an Association Sunday Schoool Secretary who will co-operate with the Sunday School department in arranging Church-toChurch Campaigns and Associational Schools.

We add our approval to the plan proposed to include Enlistment work in the Churches desiring it, to the work of the Sunday School Department.

We also recommend the publication of the Text-book or Syllabus for use in the Associational Schools.

Our plan is to hold 300 schools during the year for which we are enlisting 100 volunteer teachers. These schools to be held at a time most convenient to the Churches inviting them. Three or more churches coöperating to obtain a school. The majority of these schools will be held during the Summer months.

We commend the Theological Summer School to the entire Brotherhood. This school will be held during June, 1914, at the Baptist Encampment Grounds, Pelham Heights, Ala., Rev. J. R. Sampey and Rev. W. O. Carver, from the Louisville Seminary, will be in charge. Arrangements are being made by the Womens' Missionary Union to secure the services of Mrs. McLure, of the Training School at Louisville, for instruction in Woman's work.

There were present last year an average of 35 preachers from various Churches in Alabama. Dr. W. J. MeGlothlin, who was present for one week as lecturer on Church History, stated that in his judgment this school idea was the greatest forward novement among Southern Baptists during the past 25 years.

We confidently expect 150 or more to be present in the school during the coming session in June, 1914.

Respectfully submitted,
W. B. CASTLEBERRY,
R. D. WEBB,
CLAY I. HUDSON,
H. L. STRICKLAND,
Committee.
38. The report on the Baptist Young Peoples' Union was read by Gwylym Herbert, who addressed the Convention in that interest, and the report was adopted as follows:

## B. Y. P. U. REPORT.

We beg to report that in our State at present we have 75 Unions with a membership of 3200 .

The Executive Committee is planning to bold during the coming year five institutes in live scparate central sections of the state on B. Y. P. U. methexls, hoping in this way to inform our peopple regarding B. Y. P. U. work.

We recommend that a place be given in the annual church letter for reports on $13 . \mathrm{l}^{\circ} \mathrm{P}$. U.

We recommen! that the study course offered by the Educational Committe of the B. Y. P. U. of the South, consisting of the following books and published by the Sunday Schoal Board: B. I. P. U. Mamual, Training in Bible Study, Training in Church Membership, How Baptists Work Together, Heart of the (Hd Testament and Boctrines of eur Faith, be used ly our B. Y. P. U.s.

Respectfully submitted,
GWYJYM HERBERT, Chairman.
39. The reports on Education (See Items 27, 29, 30, 32, 33) were taken up and addresses made as follows:
A. W. Tate and J. R. Kecton for the Baptist Academy at Newton.

Pat1 V. Bomar, President Judson College, presented Mrs. J. T. Asheraft, who brought the grectings of Board of Lady Visitors of Judson College, and then addressed the Convention in the interest of that school.
J. M. Shelburne, President of Howard College spoke in its interests.
J. R. Edwards addressed the Convention in behalf of Ministerial Education.
B. F. Giles, President of the Alabama Central Female College. addressed the Convention in its interests.
40. The report of the committee to which was referred the report of the State Board of Missions, See Items 12, 24, 44) was called up and R. J. Bateman offered an amendment which was spoken to by R. J. Bateman, A. S. Smith, Preston Blake, and W . B. Crumpton, and the matter pending, the Convention adjourned to $7: 30 \mathrm{P} . \mathrm{M}$. (See Item 45.$)$

## SECOND DAY-Evening Session.

41. The Convention reassembled at $7: 30 \mathrm{P}$. M., and after singing and prayer, Vice-President J. G. Reynolds called the body to order.
42. The report on Foreign Missions was read by H. B. Woodward, as follows:

## REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The report of our Foreign Mission Board for the last Convention year is a record of signal hlessings of God upon its labors. It is also rec-
ord of most marvelous growth in the work of our denomination in other lands. The facts contained in the report ought to be repeated and cmphasized in every church in all the South and studied carefully, because they have a very practical bearing upon the world-wide mission of Southern Baptists. There is that in them to hearten every one of us for our heroic task, a clarion call to plant the banner of the King of Kings in every clime.

## Some of the Significant Facts in that Report.

Last year there were 4,532 baptisms, which is one thousand more than the total membership of the Churches on the Foreign Field after the first fifty years of the Board's work.

Twenty years ago we had 177 Missionaries and native workers on the field; now we have 273 Missionaries and 573 native helpers. Then the Board reported 283 baptisms; this last year it reported 4,532 baptisms. Then we had no Medical Missionaries, now we have 13 Medical Missionaries, 7 hospitals, 9 dispensaries through which 65,333 people received treatment. Then we had only 16 schools with 598 pupils; now we have 266 sehools with 7,481 pupils. These include 10 Theological Seminaries with 222 students and 8 Women's Training Schools with 191 students. Then we had no publishing plants. Now we have several publishing plants and book houses that are sending out millions of printed pages annually to tell the lost of Christ and His power to save.

In 1873 the Board for the first time reported more than $\$ 50,000$. In 1903 more than $\$ 200,000$. Last year the total receipts were $\$ 543,446.29$. Twenty years ago the Missionaries reported $\$ 5,368.42$ raised on the field. Last year they reported $\$ 89,483.70$. With such a growth in members and contributions both on the foreign field and at home, so that our people can now give $\$ 100$ as easily as they could $\$ 10$ twenty years ago; we confidently belicve that within a few years Southern Baptists will give One Million to this work.

## The Resources of the Board.

From every source during the year 1912-1913 the Board received $\$ 543,446.29$. This is a slight falling off from the previous year. The fact is a painful one to every loyal follower of Christ in our Southern Zion. The failure of nearly $\$ 5,000$ on the part of Alabama Baptists to raise their apportionment helped to make the above possible. That was a strong vote on the part of our 200,000 Church members to have the Board retrench. We can, we must, we will do better. Since we would not consent to have the Committee at St. Louis to move our apportionment up over last year any, the Messengers at this Convention ought to solemnly pledge themselves to see to it that the whole amount apportioned Alabama is raised by April 30, 1914. Almost seven months of the year is gone and we have raised but little more than one-tenth of the amount.

## The Indebtedness of the Board.

For several years the Board has been reporting a debt to the Convention. The debt brought over from last year was $\$ 76,000$. With this burden upon it, and our failure to come to its relief with heroic selfsacrificing giving, if need be, it cannot even mark time much longer, but must begin a retreat. Will any of us fold our hands in lazy lock and stand idly by while it is forced to do this, while other Boards are forging
ahoad Wie dare not do it! loyalty $t 0$ Christ ought to stir Alabbama 13aptists now thronghout the whole state as they have never been stirred.

## The Expenses of the Board.

There is no business as collossal as the business of our Foreign Mission work that is conducted on a more economical basis. A dollar put into its treasury goes farther in its power to make Christ known unto the heathen than a follar in the treasury of any other foreign Mission board. That is a signifieant token of Gorl's approval tupon it, and a mighty wrord in behalf of the consecration of our Missionatries. But the blame for the most of the expense cannot be laid upon the Board. The Convention instructs it as to the basis upon which to project its work. In obedience thereto it goes forward and when the Churches fail to send in the money regularly it is foreed to go to the banks and negotiate loans, the interest of which rums into thotisands of dollars each year. Ind in addition to the more than $\$ 13,000$ for interest last year, more than $\$ 22,000$ were paid for collecting Foreign Mission funds in the different States. Let no one among us be frightened at the expense since the boarl now owns property on the foreign fields valued at $\$ 900,000$.

## Special Departments of the Board's Work.

We cannot emphasize separately all the different departments of the Boarl's work, but call special attention to the following:

We commend most heartily the effort of the Board to plant schools in all its fields of operation to train native workers for the work to which God may call them and in which the children of native Christians may receive education. It has given assurance that in this matter of Theological sehools there will be no entangling alliance with people of other faith. It is our duty to maintain Christian friendship and fellowship with our brethren of other denominations both at home and abroad; but, both in our work there and here, we must be true to those fundamental principles which are to save the saving truths of the Gospel.

We furthermore commend the Judson Centennial Monument and call upon this Convention to give its loyal support to the Committee appointed at Jasper so that Alabama Baptists may do their part to bring this worthy Movement to its most glorious consummation.

We also commend the Educational Department whereby the Board is longing to induce the Churehes to have mission study classes, and reeommend that every pastor have in his Church or Churches Mission Study Classes as far as possible.

## The Real Problem.

The problem which calls loudly for solution is the thousand of unenlisted churches. But a very small per cent. of our people are enlisted in prayer and giving for the coming of the Kingdom in the whole earth. The Board is endeavoring to come closer to the people and have each one of the more than two millions of Southern Baptists realize that the Commission to "preach the gospel to every ereature" is Christ's holy word of command to them. It recognizes the State Vice-Presidents as members. It has now three field Secretaries. It requests some one in each district association to represent the work of world-wide Missions. But the State Conventions, Associations Schools, Colleges and Churches must join heartily in the work of solving this embarrassing question.

## Recommendations.

We recommend therefore:

1. That we accept the $\$ 38,500$ apportioned us by the St. Louis Convention and call upon each Messenger here to do what he can to raise it by April 30, 1914.
2. That each associational representative urge a Missionary Campaign in his Association
3. That the Committee of the Laymen's movement strive to impress upon the men of our Churches the claims of Christian Stewardship in the interest of world-wide Missions.

## A New Call and a Challenge to Southern Baptists.

Is there not a special significance in the world-wide movement for Southern Baptists "Just as God in His providence is overturning the hoary systems of error, in all lands, He is making us mighty in numbers and wealth." For us "the prospects are as bright as the promises of God." The marvelous triumphs of the gospel over the lives of men beyond the seas; the wide open door of opportunity in every clime, the falling away of prejudice against foreign Missions among our own people; the Bible now being printed in 540 languages and dialects; the imperative command of our Saviour and King: "Go ye therefore and make disciples of all the nations baptising them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you"-Make a great new call to Southern Baptists. They challenge us to make a program for ourselves that will fit the times and seasons; one that will match our declaration of faith: one that anticipates the speedy coming in of that day when Baptists will be preaching the whole gospel of Christ wherever man is found. It will require a big program to save ourselves. The triumphs of the past and the supreme crisis which our whole denomination now faces and but a trumpet call from the skies, to us summoning us "to serve our generation according to the will of God." In all the tides of time no people who name the name of Jesus as Saviour and Lord ever had such a glorious opportunity, or had upon them such a sacred obligation, or faced such a supreme crisis as Southern Baptists. Jesus is counting on us; the Macedonian appeals are coming to us from every land. To retrench would be treason; to fail would be criminal! We must not; we cannot do either! Especially ought we to pray that the breath of God may sweep across the pastorates and people of our own State and kindle a flame of sacred love on the alter of the heart of every Baptist man, woman and child that will burn bright to the glory of Christ the Lord, and move us all into self-sacrificing, giving and labors, such as will help hasten the day when the hosts of God shall shout: "Lift up your heads, oh ye gates and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory."

> Respectfully submitted,

## H. B. WOODWARD.

W. F. Yarbrough, Vice-President of the Foreign Mission Board for Alabama, made announcements, and introduced George W. Bouldin, returned missionary from Japan, G. H. Lacey, returned missionary from Mexico, C. D. Graves, Field

Seeretary of the Foreign Mission Board, and IV. Y. Quisinberry, each of whom addressel the Conwention and the report was adopted.
43. T. O. Recse, one of the Evangelists of the IIome Mission Board, addressed the Convention in the interest of Evangelism, and after announcements the Convention adjourned to ! : (0) A. M., Thursday.

## 'THIRD DAY-Morning Session.

44. The Convention reassembled at !:00 A. M., J. M. Springfield conducted a Prayer and Praise scrvice, and the President called the body to order.
45. Miscellancous Business was called, and C. W. Hare called up the report on the State Mission Boards report (See Item 39), and after discussion by C. WV. Hare, Preston Blake, R. J. Bateman, H. B. Woodward, and J. F. Gable, an amendment to the committees report was agreed to and the reports were adopted as they appear in Items 12, 20, 21, and 24 .
46. The regular order was called, and H. S. D. Mallory read the report on Laymen's Movement, and the report was spoken to by H. S. D. Mallory, J. M. Shelburne, W. W. Campbell, W. B. Crumpton, W. W. Morris, and L. T. Reeves, and the report was adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF COMMITEE ON THE LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT.

Your Committee have to report that the Laymen's Missionary Movement has not apparently greatly engaged the interest of our laymen, due, we believe, to the fact that it has not been exeept in a general or somewhat cacual way, brought to their attention.

We have been led to believe that there is such promise of good in it that we submit the following recommendations:

1. That the Committee on the Laymen's Missionary Movement be authorized to raise from the laymen of the State sufficient funds to meet the expense of placing a Secretary in the field who will give his whole time to the prosecution of the work.
2. That when sufficient funds are raised for the purpose, the Committee be authorized to employ the Secretary and fix his salary - subject to the approval, both as to person and salary, of the State Board of Missions, and said Board shall have supervision of the work of said Secretary.
3. That no part of the expense of prosecuting said Movement shall be made a charge against the State Board of Missions or paid out of any funds under its control, exeept to the extent that funds are provided for that specifie purpose.
4. That the Committee on the Laymen's Missionary Movement will consider holding a Laymen's meeting during the next Convention year, and if they deem it advisable, call the meeting for a time and place to be fixed by them.

Fraternally submitted,

> H. S. D. MALLORY, W. W. CAMPBELL, T. W. PALMER.
47. The report of Committec on Nominations was read by A. G. Mosely, and after discussion by A. G. Mosely, H. B. Foster, W. B. Crumpton, R. J. Bateman, J. A. French, W. W. Campbell, W. A. Davis, amendments offered by H. B. Foster. and R. J. Bateman, were rejected. The report was further discussed by J. R. Edwards, Geo. W. Ellis, C. J. Bentley, and Preston Blake, and the report was recommitted. (See Item 66)
48. The regular order was called, and the Convention was addressed in the interest of the Debt-Paying Campaign, by W. B. Crumpton, J. M. Shelburne, Paul V. Bomar, R. J. Bateman, and J. W. Rucker.
49. The Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher, reported as follows, which was adopted:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TIME, PLACE, AND PREACHER.

Your Committee would respectfully reeommend that the next session of this Convention be held in Selma, with the First Chureh, the Second Chureh joining the invitation.

## Date.

The date to be the Tuesday after the 3rd Sunday in November, 1914, which date is November, 17, 1914. Convention to begin at 10:00 A. M., on Tuesday and elose on Thursday night.

## Recommendation.

To preach the Convention Sermon:-Rev. W. D. Hubbard his alternate to be, Rev. A. J. Johnson.

That the following brethren be the Committee on Programe: Rev. P. W. James, Rev. H. H. Hagood, Rev. E. M. Stewart, W. B. Crumpton and H.S. D. Mallory.

The Committee respectfully recommends that, wherever the program is published or printed, the program for the Convention always be put before the program for the ministers' meeting.

> R. E. PETTUS, Chairman, C. J. BENTLEY, H. R. ARNOLD, C. E. CROSLAND, W. A. DARDEN, LAAAR JEFFERS, J. T. HINCY.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz:


#### Abstract

Resolved, First.-That the Baptist of Alabama in Convention assembled do hereby most heartily endorse the launching of a Campaign for National prohibition, and that we pledge our fervent prayers and our active co-operation in bringing ahont the triumphant suceess of that great cause:

Resolved, Second.-That we re-affirm our confidence in, and our allegiance to, the Alabama Anti-saloon League in its fight for the complete extermination of the liquor traffic.


50. After announcements the Convention adjournerl to 2:15 P. M

## THIRD DAY-Afternoon Session.

51. The Convention reassembled at 2:15 P. M., and after a song and prayer the Convention was addressed in the Interest of a Moderator's Association, by W. W. Campbell and J. A. Carny.
52. O. P. Bentley offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Be it resolver. That it is the sense of this Convention that ail the secondary schools of the denomination should have the support of the denomination in paying the tuition of all ministerial students; and whereas, there is no present arrangement by wuich the same may be done, therefore be it resolved, that this subject be made a special topic for consideration at the next session of the Convention.
53. The report on Aged and Infirm Ministers was called up (see Item 26) and H. B. Foster read the report of the Treasurer of the Board, and addresses were made by H. B. Foster, D. C. Cooper, C. J. Bentley, and Frank Willis Barnett moved a rising vote of thanks to H. B. Foster for his untiring efforts in behalf of our old ministers, which was given unanimously.
54. The report of the Orphans' Home (See Item 2S) was called up and the report was spoken to by W. C. Crumpton, President of the Board of Tuststees, M. C. Reynolds, Superintendent, T. W. Palmer, and the report was adopted.
55. The report on Co-operation was called for and read by L. L. Gwaltney, and the report was spoken to by W. Y. Quisenberry, J. R. Stodghill, I. A. White. R. C. Deal and the report was adopted as follows:

## REPORT ON COMMITTEE ON CO-OPERATION.

The amounts suggested for the various Boards for 1913 are as follows:

| State Missions | \$ 38,500 00 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Home Missions. | 36,400 00 |
| Foreign Missions | 46.40000 |
|  | \$ 121.300 00 |

This total amount was prorated to the district associations with the request that at the meetings of the associations their pro rata should be apportinned to the local churches. During the year several letters were sent out to all of the churches urging greater liberality with suggestions of ways and means. In addition to this, letters were sent to all pastors and clerks of the Churches asking that a mission committee be appointed in each Church, and that the names of the persons composing such committees be sent to the State Mission office-thus another effort to get in vital touch with our people.

While there are many Churches in Alabama still unenlisted in the constructive work of the Convention, yet we believe the number which do nothing at all is constantly decreasing. This is patent from the fact that the Convention raised last year more than $\$ 20,000$ over and above the year before. And we confidently lonk for the enlistment movement which is now going on in our State, and the church-to-church campaign which is growing in popularity to accelerate still better conditions.

We recommend that the executive committees in conjunction with the pastors of the district associations plan for, and hold missionary and educational meetings at regular and stated times, at the most stragetic places in the associations for reaching the people.

That the churches in the most. central points and especially those located at the connty sites lend their pastors to the larger work of the denomination at least four Sundays in the year. With the hands of such pastors untied, and on fifth Sundays freed from local cares, they can become the greatest factors we have for bringing into co-operation the unenlisted churches in their respective associations.

That pastors' unions be organized in all the associations. If all the pastors will not come into such compact, let those who will unite and meet at least one day or night in the month. Some day or night closely follorving the last Sunday in the month seems to be the best time for such meeting, as this will give the pastors an opportunity to discuss things that ought to be presented to the churches during the month that is to follow. To have these meetings will require work and pains, but with the work and pains, we believe our problem will be very largely solved.

That the churches which have not heretofore adopted the Calendar and Wall Cards, do it now, fqr it has been demonstrated that the churches which follow the schedule are the larger and most regular givers. The apportionments for the various associations for the coming year are appended to this report and will be printed in the minutes.

Respectfully submitted,

> L. L. GWALTNEY.
(For Apportionment Table see pages 70, 71, 72.)
56. The report on Obituaries was read by M. M. Wood and adopted as follows:


## J. S. CARROLL

TRUSTEE OF HOWARD COLLEGE. 1908-1913
TRUSTEE OF ORPHANS' HOME 1907-1913
TRUSTEE OF BAPTIST COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE, 1908-1913
TRUSTEE OF JUDSON COLLEGE, 1909-1913

## REPORT OBITUARIES.

Since the Convention met in Jasper July, 1912, the following miniswers have passed to their reward:

## ISAAC ESTII.L.

Was born Marcl1 IU, 1841, was ordained to preach on the 5th day of Deecmber, 189t. He joined the Baptist Chureh in 1sibit. He was a charter member of Union Baptist Church, Marion County, Alat Died at Guin, Ala.; on October 31, 1913. He was ordained ly the Union Baptist Church, which is now the Guin Baptist Church.

## M. A. HOFFMAN.

Born August 15, 1887. Born again Augnst, 1906. Ordained to the Ministry June, 24, 1911. Graduated from Howard College with A.B. degree Alay, 1912. Died January 18, 1913, while a professor in Howard College. Ilis brief life was subordinated to his Heavenly Father's will, and under that Father's guiding hand he learned in the school of experience self-control, sacrifice for others, truthfulness, faith, simplicity and purity.

## J. J. HOOTEN.

Born in 1871, and was born again in young manhood. He was made a deacon in 1900 in which office the served faithfully for twelve years and September 22, 1912, was ordained to the Ministry, in which capacity he served well until his death October 27, 1912, leaving a wife and several children.

## J. B. SHIELTON.

Was a native of Kentucky, and canic to Alabama about eightcen years ago, and soon became pastor of the Adams Strect (now Second) Baptist Church, Mlontgomery, Ala.

After a residence of a few years out of the State, he was again recalled to the above named church of which he was pastor at the time of his death.

He had evangelistic gifts which made his services much in demand.
He was twice married; first to a Miss Alsop, who died several ycars ago leaving one child, a daughter. His second wife still lives with two children, a son, and daughter.

## L. E. SMITH.

Was born in West Virginia, and lived a few years in Ohio where he was in the employ of the Anti-Saloon Leaguc. He came to Alabama from Louisiana in the service of the Anti-Salonn-League, and was called to be pastor at Pine Hill Ala., moving from there to Vineland where he died Sunday, October 12, 1913, leaving a wife and one child.

He had done good work in the Bethel Association as missionary and as pastor, having done much to build up the cause of Christ in weak places and having organized a church and erected a new building at Vincland.

> W. V. VICE.

Born in Pickens County, Ala., October 13, 1848. Was ordained May 31, 1885. Married to Miss M. C. Norris, September 29, 1870.

Died at Nicholsville, Ala., September 11, 1913, leaving a widow and eight children. His ministerial life was spent largely in Marengo and Clarke Counties, where few men have excelled him in service to the churches, about thirty of which he was pastor at different times.

## GEO. W. WILDER.

Born in Blount County, Ala., May 2, 1870. He was converted and joined the M. E. Church South, at Lee's Chapel, Blount Co., September, 1896. He joined the Missionary Baptists, in August 1902. He was ordained July 26, 1908, having preached four years. He was married twice, first, to a Miss Foster, October 4, 1888, who bore him two chilrlren, and to Miss Olive Greeters April 26, 1896, who bore him five children. He died October 25, 1912, honored and respected by all who knew him.


# REV. JOHN NEWTON PRESTRIDGE, D. D. <br> BORN IN ALABAMA, FEBRUARY 5. 1853 <br> DIED IN KENTUCKY, OこTOBER 29, 1913 

## JOHN N. PRESTRIDGE.

(See Item 62).
October 29, 1913, there fell in sleep in Louisville, Ky., an honored son of Alabana. Rev. John Newton Prestridge, D.D., was born in Alabama, February 5, 1853. He studied in Howard College and the Southern Baptist Theological Scminary. Although his active ministry was largely outside the State much of his work brought him in close contact with Baptist affairs in Alabama. As editor of the Baptist World, he performed a service for all Baptists everywhere. With a genius for making a Baptist newspaper seldom found in any man, he used his gifts in an effort to bring to pass his motto: "Christ for the World, The World for Christ."

Another notable work of 1)r. Prestrifece was in conncction with the formation of the Baptist World Alliance, the suceess of which was largely dute to his efforts. This organization has done much to unite the people of the Baptist name throughout all the world.

Ilis death came suddenly and as a shock to his brethren. But he harl so bong dwelt in a heavenly atmosphere that he wefonmed the opportunity of departing to be with the loord. White we miss him from our meetings, where he was ever a prominent figure, we feel that heaven is more real to us beceuse Dr. Prestrifive is there.

## F. M. WOODS.

Born in Shelby ('o. Mat., in 1845. At the age of sixteen he emlisterl in the Confederate Army and served in the war, being in twenty-seven batthes. He was converted during the war, and ordaned in 187i. He died at Maplessille, Ala., where he was pastor at the time, September 13, 1913, feaving a wife, five daughters and one son.

He was at different times pastor at Blocton, Twenty-First Ave., Birmingham, Clanton, and Daplesville, and for several years molerator of the Unity Association. "He was loving in character, a true friend, a wise counsellor, a fearless preacher, a good pastor, an excellent moderator, and in his home was at devoted husband and father."
57. W. Y. Quisenberry and G. W. Bouldin addressed the Convention in the interest of the Judson Centennial.
58. The following resolution offered by C. W. Henson was unanimous!y adopted:

Whereas, the increasing labor incident to the duties of the Secretary of this Convention require morc and more of his time in compiling the statistics of the Convention and the insignificant allowance of $\$ 50$ being wholly inadequate, as salary:

Therefore be it resolved:
First.-That from this date an allowance of $\$ 100$ per annum be made for the recording Secretary of the Alabama Baptist Convention.

Second. -That he be instructed to print and distribute the usual number of minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
W. C. HENSON.
59. The committee to which was referred the report of the Trustecs of the school at Healing Springs (See Item 32), reported, and after discussion by !. A. White, W. A. Davis, W. F. Yarbrough, and C. C. Smith, the Principal, the report was amended and adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HEALING SPRINGS ACADEMY.

We, your Committee to whom was referred the above named report recommend that our Educational Commission be authorized, if funds are available, to grant the amounts asked for in the report of the Board of Trustees, viz: Two Hundred ( $\$ 200.00$ ) Dollars to be immediately avail-
able for present indebtedness, and an annual appropriation of Twelvc Hundred ( $\$ 1,200.00$ ) Dollars for three years for necessary maintenance of said school.

Respectfully submitted,
I. A. WHITE,
E. M. STEWART,
L. M. BRADLEY,
J. H. CREIGHTON,
R. M. HUN'TER.
60. J. H. Longcrier, in behalf of the Ministerial Mutual Benefit Society asked that at least thirty minutes be given in the program of the next State Convention. which was granted.
61. The President announced Standing Committees for coming year as follows:

## Foreign Missions.

I. A. White, P. W. James, A. J. Preston, W. P. Wilks, M. P. Edwards..

## Home Missions.

J. G. Dickinson, J. E. Barnes, M. K. Thornton, T. L. Reeves, J. R. Stodghill.

## Woman's Work.

J. A. Carnley, J. W. Stewart, A. G. Spinks.

## Sunday Schools.

C. R. Bell, W. B. Castleberry, T. M. Dix, E. L. Dodson, R. J. Bateman, B. B. Finklea, H. L. Strickland,.

## B. Y. P. U.

Lamar Jeffers, H. E. Pettus, O. C. Doster, Jr., Gwylym Herbert, W. D. Blackwelder.

## Layman's Movement.

H. S. D. Mallory, W. W. Campbell, N. D. Denson, C. S. Rabb, Paul Dix, J. T. Ashcraft, Tom Garner, J. P. Wood, G. G. Britton, T. W. Palmer, H. F. Lattimer.

## Temperance.

A. W. Briscoe, S. H. Bennett, J. O. Colley, R. M. Hunter.

## Memorials.

M. M. Wood, J. A. Beal, W. D. Hubbard, H. H. Conner.

## Transportation.

W. A. Davis, H. F. Littimer, E. M. Barnes.

## Press Committee.

Jno. C. Williams, J. D. Ray, F. W. Barnett, C. W. Hare.
62. On motion of Frank Willis Barnett, the Secretary was instructed to have a page in the minutes in memory of l. N Prestridge, editor of the Baptist World, and a memorial sketch was offered by W. P. Wilkes. It appears in Item jf, which was adopted.
63. The Secretary read the report of R. Fi. Manly, Treasurer of the Convention as follows:


Birminghan, Ala, November 18, 1913.
64. The Committee to which was referred the report of the Educational Commission (see Item 36) reported, and after discussion by $W$. B. Crumpton, W. M. Olive, and A. W. Briscoe, S. D. Monroc offered the following as a substitute which was adopted: "We recommend that this Convention give its Moral support to the Unity-Chilton High School at Thorsby, Ala., without becoming in any way responsible for its financial obligations."
65. After announcements the Convention adjourned to 7:15 for its final sitting.

> THIRD DAY-Evening Session.
66. The Convention reassembled for its final sitting, and J. M. Springfield conducted a Song and Prayer service, and the President called the Convention to order.
67. A. G. Mosely presented the report on Nominations (see Item 46) which was adopted as follows:

## REPORT ON NOMINATIONS.

Your Committee on Nominations, beg leave to submit the following report, we Nominate to Fill Vacancies:
On State Board of Missions for those whose term expires in 1913, D. C. Cooper, J. W. Minor, A. J. Dickinson, C. Ross Baker, J. F. Gable, J. G. Reynolds and J. P. Ward.

On the Educational Commission: for those whose terms expire in 1913, C. H. Davis, D. P. Bester, Jr., Wm. C. Crumpton, Preston Blake, and H. B. Foster.
On Board of Trustees of Howard College for those whose terms expire in 1913: J. B. Ellis, J. T. Ashcraft, G. D. Motley, W. P. McAdory J. C. Maxwell, J. G. Lowrey, J. W. Beasly, J. R. Keyton. To fill place of S. S. Brandurs resigned. W. R. Hilliard, and D. W. Powell resigned, W. C. Crumpton.
On Board of Trustees of Judson College for those whose terms expire in 1913: Ernest Lamar, B. F. Ellis, F. P. Nichols and A. J. Dickinson. and W. M. Fowlkes in place of J. S. Carroll, deceased.
To be Trustees of Newton Collegiate Institute whose terms expire in 1913: R. L. Marchman, B. P. Poyner, S. T. Jones and M. A. Smith. S. S. Howell in place of S. M. C. Howell, deceased, and G. H. Malvin, in place of J. R. Keyton resigned.
To be Trustees of Healing Springs Industrial Academy: T. E. Tucker, R. L. Aaron, J. E. McLemore, H. C. Causey, W. J. Blount and J. B. Shrencher.
To be Trustees of Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund, whose terms expired 1913: Ernest Lamar, W. M. Anderson, H. J. Willingham and C. A. O'Neal.
To Compose the Board of Ministerial Education: J. R. Edwards, Preston Blake, J. A. Hendricks, A. L. Smith, W. M. Anderson, N. A. Barrett, M. K. Thornton, W. M. Blackwelder, A. K. Wright, J. .E. Barnes, J. O. Colley, L. T. Reeves.

To be Trustees of Howard College Endowment Fund: A. W. Bell, D. C. Cooper, Wm. A. Davis, J. B. Ellis, and A. D. Smih.
To be Directors of the Convention: The President, Vice-Presidents, Sec ${ }^{-}$ retary and Treasurer and W. B. Crumpton, Geo. W. Ellis, H. S. D. Mallory, A. S. Smith, Michael Cody, Spright Dowell, Eugene Ballard, F. W. Lull and R. D. Webb.

To Compose the Committee on Co-operation: L. L. Gwaltney, J. L. Thompson, R. J. Bateman, J. W. Partridge, and M. P. Edwards,.
To be Trustees of the Orphans Home for those whose terms expire in 1913: W. B. Ivey, Robert Crooms and J. A. Thompson.

We recommend that the Board of Directors appoint Delegates to the Southern Baptist Convention and such other bodies as this Convention corresponds with.
To be Trustees of Alabama Central Female College: A. C. Davidson, J. B. Gibson, J. D. Murphree, H. D. Wilson and J. F. Buck.

Respectfully submitted,
A. G. MOSELEY,
D. C. COOPER,
J. R. EDWARDS,
W. P. WILKS,
S. R. BOYKIN,
R. M. HUNTER,
M. P. EDWARDS.
68. The Statistical Secretary read his report as follows:

## REPORT OF STATISTICAL SECRETARY.

There is 1,141 names on the list of ordained ministers.
The number of District Associations is 77 .
The Statistics of 1912 was published in the spring of 1913, many Associations not printing their minutes until March.

The Seeretary is now endeavoring to gather the Statistics of 1913, loping to publish them by the middle of January, 1914.

There will be tables of W. M. U., 13 Y. P. U., and our Baptist Schools in the State.

Expenses of the office from July 1, 1912, to November 1, 1913, have been as follows, viz:
For Postage ..... 792
Express ..... 361
Stationery and printing ..... 1538
Extra help ..... 500
Totals ..... \$ 3191
M. M. WOOD, Statistical Secretary.
69. J. T. Asheraft addressed the Convention in behalf of the fight against tuberculosis.
70. The report on Woman's Work was read by the Secretary, and the Convention was addressed in this interest by R. J. Bateman, W. Y. Quisenberry, and J. W. Rucker, and the report was adopted as follows:

## REPORT ON WOMAN'S WORK.

Your Committee beg to make the following report:
The report from the convention of the Woman's Missionary Union in Tuscumbia November $t-6$ is full of inspiration. The Women with candle lights have swept their house and sought diligently and are now full of rejoicing and call this Convention to rejoice with them. They have paid every pledge and have met fully and enthusiastically every apportionment.

This year is the great jubilate of the Southern Woman's Missionary Union and rounds its 25th anniversary and the 20th anniversary of the Alabama Union in honor of which the women of the Alabama Union have pledged since November 1, 1912, $\$ 40,652.05$ over and above the regular apportionment, this amount to be paid within three years. $\$ 30,000$ was a special gift from Mrs. J. S. Carroli of Troy for a Publishing House to be erected in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. They further report 992 Women's and young peoples' organizations. The total receipts from the regular apportionment from November 1, 1912, to October 31, 1913, amounted to $\$ 29$, 817.90 including $\$ 11,998.15$ for foreign Nissions $\$ 7,37+.74$ for Home Missions; $\$ 6,522.28$ for State Missions; $\$ 1,217.62$ for the Woman's Missionary Union Training School; $\$ 1,130.21$ for the Orphanage; $\$ 422.52$ for Aged Ministers.

The women, combining the devotional spirit of Mary and the result getting efforts of Martha are doing splendid work for God and His King-
dom and each year their organization has marked an advance in efficiency and results.

This Convention cordially commends and heartily acknowledges the co-operation of the women in our work.

W. L. RICHARD, Chairman.

71. The report on Temperance was read by H. R. Arnold, and addresses made by H. R. Arnold, and Brooks Lawrence, Superintendent of the Alabama Anti-Saloon League, and the report was adopted as follows:

## REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

Your Committee feels that all lovers of humanity and good morals have great cause for encouragement on account of the present outlook for the temperance movement. While it is true that there has not been the great sweeping prohibition victories that we would liked to have seen and that there have been some defeats with the victories we have gained, still there is every reason for cheerful optimism since there is a constantly growing sentiment against the use of, and traffic in, strong drink, which makes our defeats and their victories only temporary.

This is preeminently an humanitarian age in which we live. An age when the brotherhood of man is at last recognized as a part of the divine plan; which recognition will mean human freedom and happiness. Prohibition is but one, though doubtless the greatest element that enters into this great movement for the uplift. of humanity.

A discussion of the evils of intemperance and of the American Saloon need not be entered into before this or any other intelligent body; because they are generally conceded as true. This is a great point gained by prohibitionists after years of agitation; so that it is no longer a question as to whether whiskey and its sale are evils or not, but a question as to the best method of dealing with these evils.

Hardly more than a decade ago, there was but one lone weapon being used against this mighty curse of drink; but today, there are at least four, both convincing and deadly, viz:

Religion, Science, Society and Business-and Politics might be added as the fifth one, which is being dragged into the fight like a cowardly conscript.

Religion has always been the relentless foe of the liquor traffic. There can be no compromise between them, since each is a deadly enemy of the other and can prosper only at the expense of the other.

Science has recently decided against strong drink by speaking through the world's best chemists and physicians who pronounce it a poison to be used only for medical purposes, and even then it should be prescribed as any other poison. This testimony of science has done much toward breaking down popular prejudices against temperance workers and their cause and toward giving them and it a measure of respectability never before enjoyed.

Society has placed its ban on men who drink, and while they may be tolerated, yet their social standing is exceedingly precarious. Saloon keepers and their families are practically ostracised by good society. Nearly all secret fraternities refuse candidates for membership, who are engaged in the sale of whiskey; and it is a cause for just pride that no Baptist Church in the South will retain a member who is engaged in this
trade. This social ostracism serves as a powerful check to drinking, and consigns the saloon business to the lower grades of society.

What then should be the attitude of our preachers and ehurches toward a business so ruinous and destructive There is lout one consistent or even respectable course, viz: that of uncompromising opposition. T'otal abstinence from drink, and total extermination of the saloon business must be the practice and policy of our Baptist perple. There bell be no half way measure of trying to regulate and reform the business. Ahmo dant efforts, under the most favorable conditions, have been made with complete failure as the result. The very inherent wickedness of the business forlids all efforts at reformation; hence, there remains but one remedy for a long and too patient suffering public, and that is ANNIHILATION.

Therefore let our preachers thoroughly inform themselves on the subject, and then with ferwid zeal preach a fresh crusade against this blighting curse. The people may be tired of hearing it, but that is no reason why they should not hear it again.

This is a work in which the preacher must lead; for he has the deepest and clearest understanding of all moral issues, and must for that reason be the advance agent of every great moral movement.

Believing as we to that prohibition is the most important political question of the day, we woukd recommend that candidates for all public offices who are sincere and Nation-wide prohibitionists be given our enthusiastic support. One chief reason for so many prohibition defeats is the failure of temperance advocates io attach enough importance to the issuc. It has been regarded as a matter which should not be mentioned outside of church walls. A question entirely too small for dignified law makers to handle; or for voters to consider. We are lacking in the firmmess of purpose and cohesiseness necessary to produce large and permanent results. We should give our loyal support to the politicians who are friendly to this cause, long enough for the matter to be permanently disposed of; and then turn our attention to the tarifi, and other matters of secondary importance.

Temperance advocates are in the majority and can have any laws enacter they wish if they will stick together and demand them. The day has come when we should compel all candidates for office in both houses of Congress to declare themselves in favi,r of both State and National prohibition without any equivocation or mental reservation of mind in them whatsoever.

We gladly acknowledge and commend the work which the An'i-Saloon L.ague has done.

## If. R. ARNOLD, Chairman.

72. On motion of Harry L. Strickland, a rising vote of thanks was extended the members of the Baptist Church and citizens generally for their hospitality, to the Postmistress for special favors, to the pages, the newspapers, the railroads, and all others who in any way have contributed to the pleasure and success of this session of the Convention.
73. The Convention, having finished its business, after singing and praver, adjourned.
M. M. WOOD, Secretary.
APPORTIONMENT.



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Contributions of the Baptists in Alabama Through Forty-three Vears of the History of the State Board of Missions, Showing also the (irowth in Membership.

| Year |  | Stitu Missions |  | Home <br> Missions | Fureig.I <br> Missions |  |  | Member slip |
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| 1873 |  | 1,075 00 |  | 4,882 (10) |  | 2,301 | 00 |  |
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| 1881 |  | 7,860 00 |  | 1,755 00 |  | 2,016 |  | 74.0 .48 |
| 188: |  | 8,77600 |  | 82900 |  | 1.9420 |  | 75,134 |
| 1883 |  | 8,85400 |  | 2.25100 |  | 2.491 |  | 74.1046 |
| 1884 |  | 9.40200 |  | 2,03600 |  | $\dagger 7.488$ | 00 | 72.051 |
| 1885 |  | 10.04600 |  | 1.87100 |  | 2,150 |  | 76,717 |
| 1856 |  | 6,391 00 |  | 2.28900 |  | 3.174 |  | 80,079 |
| 1887 |  | 7,389 00 |  | 4,71800 |  | 4,619 0 | 00 | 90,612 |
| 1888. |  | S. 18300 |  | 2.81700 |  | 3,913 0 |  | 89,728 |
| 1889 |  | 11,970 00 (16 mo.) |  | 3,665 00 |  | 4,532 |  | 91.261 |
| 1890 |  | 8,795 00 |  | +.33600 |  | 6,358 | 00 | 95,893 |
|  | \$ | 87.67200 | \$ | 26,567 00 | 8 | 38,686 |  |  |
| 1891 |  | 8,255 00 |  | 5,471 (0) |  | -,756 0 |  | 97,918 |
| 1892 |  | 7,617 00 |  | 6,210 00) |  | 6,099 | 00 | 101,031 |
| 1893 |  | 8,745 00** |  | 9,097 00** |  | 11,50t | $00^{* *}$ | 101,962 |
| 1894 |  | 4,86900 (8 mo.) |  | 3,753 00 |  | 7.497 | 00 | 105,444 |
| 1895 |  | 11,067 00 (16 mo.) |  | 5.21800 |  | 7.593 |  | 110,778 |
| 1896 |  | 9.79900 |  | 4,60600 |  | 6.696 |  | 113,826 |
| 1897 |  | 9,81500 |  | 2,964 00 |  | 6,563 |  | 118,876 |
| 1898 |  | 8,52600 |  | 2,403 00 |  | 5.950 |  | 124,751 |
| 1899 |  | 8,824 00 |  | 3,269 00 |  | 5,818 |  | 127,949 |
| 1900 |  | 6,814 00 |  | 4,820 00 |  | 9,098 |  | 129,545 |
|  | \$ | 84,331 00 | \$ | 47,819 00 | \$ | 75,283 | 00 |  |
| 1901 |  | 7,882 00 |  | 6,196 00 |  | 11,527 | 00 | 131,280 |
| 1902 |  | 3,795 00( $71 \% \mathrm{mo}$.) |  | 7,190 00 |  | 14,850 | 00 | 134,424 |
| 1903 |  | 13,325 00 |  | 8,139 00 |  | 16,424 | 00 | 140,7-1 |
| 1904 |  | 12,920 00 |  | 10,066 00 |  | 18,025 | 00 | 143,574 |
| 1905 |  | 14,639 00 |  | 11,543 00 |  | 18,302 | 00 | 147,127 |
| 1906 |  | 16,831 00 |  | 14,871 00 |  | $\dagger+30,205$ | 00 | 150,945 |
| 1907 |  | 20,818 00 |  | 17,637 00 |  | 27,582 | 00 | 154,400 |
| 1908 |  | 20,16500 |  | 18,512 00P |  | 28,253 | 00P | 161,408 |
| 1909 |  | 23,038 00 |  | 19,35300 |  | 26,829 | 00 | 173,655 |
| 1910 |  | 17,752 00 |  | 18,787 00 |  | 25,264 | 00 | 180,239 |
|  | \$ | 151,16500 | \$ | 122,19400 | \$ | 217,261 | 00 |  |
| $1911 a_{-}$ |  | 29,196 00 |  | 32,222 00 |  | 37,708 | 00 | 185,728 |
| 1912 |  | 24,267 00 |  | 25,916 00 |  | 34.928 | 00 | 192,627 |
| 1913. |  | 33.092 00(16 mo.) |  | 28,303 00 |  | 40,101 | 00 | 193, 147 |

a Bush Endowment of $\$ 30,000.00$ to the three Boards in this year.
*Estimated. †Legacy of $\$ 4,983.00$ included. ${ }^{* *}$ Centennial of Missions. $\dagger$ Includes $\$ 10,000.00$ by J. C. Bush to College. P Alabama Centennial.

## List of Delegates.

## From Churches.

Abbeville-Mrs. Lula Laney, Mrs. Kate Trawick, I.. S. Nichols, C. E. Crossland.
Albertville-H. C. Dunn.
Alexander City-Arnold S. Smith.
Andalusia-A. J. Preston and wife.
Anniston, Parker Memorial-W. A. Davis, W. F. Yarborough, J. A. Sims.
Antioch (Hale Co.) -J. S. Wood.
Athens-Clay I. Hudson.
Auburn-Felix T. Hudson, R. D. Webb, M. P. Edwards.
Bellwood-Frank Heath, Mason Darnell.
Bessemer-Gwylym Herbert, M. K. Thornton.
Bethlehem (Coffee Co.)-A. J. Wise, Jr.
Birmingham, Avondale - Jno. W. Inzer.
Birmingham, Boyles-M. T. Branham.
Birmingham, Calvary-H. L. Strickland, J. D. Ray.
Birmingham, Fifty Sixth St.-J. E. Green.
Birmingham, First-A. J. Dickinson, Karl Platowsky.
Birmingham, Hunter St.-L. M. Brodly.
Birmingham, Ruhama (East Lake) - S. O. Y. Ray, James R. Edwards, James M1. Shelburne, T. O. Reese.
Birmingham, South Side-Preston Blake, W. A. Berry.
Birmingham, Twenty-First Ave-J. R. Stodghill.
Birmingham, Twenty-Seventh St.-J. O. Colley.
Birmingham, West End-W. D. Blackwelder.
Birmingham, West Woodlawn-Jno. W. Stewart.
Black-A. J. Brooks.
Blocton, First-J. H. Riffe.
Brundidge - J. L. Thompson.
Calvary (Coffee Co.) -J. W. Meredith, L. L. Brooks, R. C. Armor, W. J. H. Wood.

Camden-I. N. Kimbrough.
Camp Hill-A. W. Briscoe,
Carbon Hill-Geo. S. Gilder.
Clayton-C. J. Crawford.
Collinsville A. L. Stephens.
Corinth (Dale Co.) C. L. Matthews.
Corinth (Houston Co.) - A. D. Halstead.
Cool Spring (Coffee Co.)-M. E. Brunson.
County Line (Coffee Co.)-A. Martin, J. B. Martin, H. E. Martin, T. J. Speigner, P. O. Martin, J. W. Reynolds, W. L. Hatcher, G. F. Pierson.
Dadeville -W. D. Hubbard.
Daleville-W. F. Collins, S. C. D. Brown.
Damascus (Coffee Co.)-W. S. Windham.
Demopolis-Ed. S. Barnes.
Dothan, First-E. H. Jennings, J. W. Rogers.
Dothan, Headland Ave.-J. M. Newton.
Ebenezer, (Coffee Co.)-IV. C. Jones.
Eclectic-R. F. Stuckey.
Elba-W. O. Vanghn, S. N. Rowe, D. P. Lee, Chas. D. Talley, G. W. Rainer.
Ensley-A. K. Wright.
 J. O. Snellgrove, H. M. Sessions, H. II. Blackilan.

Eutaula, First J. A. French.
Evergreen-W. C゚. Crumpton, M. C. Reymotls, (ier). F\%, Mize.
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Florala-J. N. Vandiver.
Florence., First J. II. Chapman, J. 'T. Asheraft and wife.
Friendship (Geneva (o.)-R. Mills.
Fit. 1)eposit-J. R. (i. White.
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Gaylesville-S. L. Williams.
Geneva-J. M. Springfield.
Ceorgiama-C. T. Culpepper.
Goorwater-I. H. Bush.
Goshen-C. M. Logan.
Greensboro-J. A. Beal.
Greenville-L. L. Gwaltney, I. (i. Reynolds.
Guntersville-F. M1. Barnes.
Hartford-P. I.. Moseley:
Huntsville, First J. J. Johnston.
Henderson-B. H. Ggletree, W. H. Tew.
Indian Grove (Autauga Co.)-J. N. Billingsley and wife.
Jackson-A. P. Moore.
LaFayette-H. R. Arnold.
Liberty (Autaugo Co.)-J. A. Cannon.
Local (Escambia Co.)-J. W. Jones.
Luverne-W. B. Howard, J. C. Ronton.
MlcKenzie - W. A. Tharp.
Midland City-S. S. Howell, A. L. Askew, J. A. Stephens, J. B. Hamric. Midway - W. C. Jordan.
Mobile, Calvary-Geo. W. McRae.
Mobile, Tabernacle - W. P. Wilkes.
Monroeville-C. W. Henson.
Montgomery, Clayton St.-Jesse A. Cook.
Montgomery, First-IV. B. Crumpton, W. J. Elliott.
Montgomery, Highland Ave.-E. L. Davant, Miss Myra Bachelder.
Montgomery, South Side -J. F. Gable, Geo. W. Ellis.
Montevallo-T. W. Palmer, E. M. Stewart.
MIt. Gilead (Coffee Co.)-T. C. MeDormont.
Mit. Pinson-Sam'l D. Monroe.
Mt. Pisgah (Henry Co.)-S. B. Quattlebaum.
M1t. Gleason (Coffee Co.) - W. C. Howell.
Mt. Pleasant, (Tallapoosa Co.) - J. S. Johnson.
Mt. Pleasant, (Coffee Co.) Knox McLeod, K. H. McLeorl, J. 1.. Hogan, W. B. Nichols, T. D. Andrews, J. W. Wilson, IV. I: Nichols, A. (i. Harrell, C. W. Harrell, H. S. Nichnls.
Newton-O. L. Cooper, Wood Vickers, Mrs. W. A. Jones, Mrs. D. 11. Jones, J. L. Hand, S. T. Jones, E. G. Johnston,
New Decatur, Central-H. B. Woodward.
New Decatur, First-R. L. Wyatt.
New Ebenezer (Coffee Co.)-C. O. Helms.
New Home, (Coffee Co.)-J. B. Gammon.
New Hope, (Shelby Co.)-C. R. Miller.
Northport-H. D. Wilson.
Notasulga-H. T. Crumpton.
Oakman-D. D. Head.
Opelika-C. Ross Baker and wife.

Opp-Thos. G. Conner.
Oxford-Lamar Jeffers.
Ozark-M. L. Harris, T. O. Huito.
Panola-J. W. Gregory.
Paxton, (Covington Co.)-D. C. Allen.
Pea River-J. Black.
Pinckard-J. W. Malone, J. L. Snell.
Pleasant Hill, (Dallas Co.)-J. J. Justice.
Pratt City-J. E. Barnes.
Prattville-J. W. Partridge.
Repton-M. M. Wood.
Roanoke, First-J. W. Rucker.
Roanoke, Handley Memorial-T. H. Landers.
Salem, (Barbour Co.)-J. W. Phillips.
Sardis, (Chilton)-H. G. Williams.
Seale-S. R. Boykin.
Selma, First-H. S. D. Mallory, P. W. James, Ernest Lamar
Shady Grove (Franklin Co.)-J. A. Love.
Siloam-Geo. T. Waite, Paul V. Bomar, Chas. H. Greer.
Sylacauga-Leon M. Lattimer.
Troy-W. W. Vaughn, J. O. Pierson, R. J. Bateman, J. H. Cooper, E. M.
Shackleford, J. D. Murphree, W. F. Beard.
Tuscaloosa-B. F. Giles, H. B. Foster.
Tuscumbia-Walter P. Powell.
Tuskegee-T. Y. Conner, W. W. Campbell.
Union Hill (Houston Co.)-J. H. Hunt.
Union Springs-S. V. T. Chamblee., Wm. L. Richards.
Vernon-R. L. Durant.
West Blocton-F. W. Barnett.
Wetumpka-A. G. Moseley.

## From Associations.

Alabama-S. W. Andress, L. D. Barfield.
Bibb County-J. R. Griffith.
Bigbee-J. E. Herring.
Birmingham-A. C. Swindall.
Calhoun County-A. J. Johnson, D. C. Cooper, S. H. Bennett.
Central-D. S. Martin.
Cherokee County-T. T. Hincey.
Chilton County-W. M. Olive.
Clarke County-J. H. Creighton.
Coffee County-J. A. Carnley.
Colbert County-Z. W. McNeal.
Columbia-W. E. Mann, G. W. Harrison, J. R. Keyton, J. H. Gunter, W. T. Cannon.

Coosa River-J. B. Byrd.
Cullman-L. T. Reeves.
Dale County- A G. Spinks, J. B. Boland, W. W. Morris, W. C. Kirkland, Samuel E. Boroughs, G. W. Lester.
Escambia County-R. M. Hunter.
Etowah-L. L. Hearne, I. A. White.
Eufaula-T. M. Thomas, J. A. Seay.
Geneva County-S. L. Lee, T. N. Beall.
Harmony Grove--W. A. Darden.
Judson-J. A. Campbell, E. G. Fenn, W. H. F. Smith.
Liberty-R. E. Pettus.

Macedonia-R. L. Maron.
Mobile Joln W. Phillips.
Muntgomery-I). \%. Wixolley.
Salem-Iroy-J. P. Wood.
Sardis-J. W. Brooks.
Selma-Lewis Johnson and wife.
Shady Grove-R. I. Dyer.
Shelby County-J. 11. Longerier.
Tuskegee-C. W. Hare.
Washington County-C. C. Sunth.

## Representatives.

Foreign Mission Buard -(i. H. Lacy, of Mexican liold; (ieo. W. Bonldin of Japan; C. D. Graves, W. Y. Quisinberry.
Ilome Mission Board B. J). Cray, Corresponding Secretary.
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary-From the liaculty, J. R. Sampey. From the Student Body, IV. K. Seymore.
Sunday School Department State Board of Missions-B. Davie, H. I. Strickland, A. L. Stephens.

## Number Enrolled.

Churches 128, Delegates ..... 212
Associations 32, Delegates ..... 50
Visitors
Visitors ..... 15 ..... 15
Representatives ..... 10
Total ..... 287

## Visitors.

L. B. Cohron, Excel.

Mrs. Fannie B. Helm, Elba.
R. L. Bradley, Vernon.
J. C. Dunlap, Forest Home.
J. D. Powell, Bessemer.

Mrs. J. B. Byrd, Talladega Springs.
Mrs. M. B. Lindsey, Headland.
Mrs. W. S. Oates, Headland.
R. C. Deal, Ozark.

Mrs. Alex Trawick, Abbeville.
Mrs. T. P. Rainer, Elba.
Mrs. A. G. Moseley, Wetumpka.
Mrs. Jack Laney, Abbeville.
E. W. Smith, Redlevel.
W. A. Windham, Daleville.

## FORM OF BEQUEST.

We are glad to observe increasing instances of our Baptist people including in their wills, legacies and devises to our denominational and religious enterprises and institutions. They are laying up treasures for themselves in heaven.

When convenient, it is suggested that the will be drawn by some one having experience in such matters, though this is not a legal requirement.

The following are suggested as simple forms:
"I hereby give to the Alabama Baptist State Convention the following property." (Here describe the property so it can be easily identified.) Or, "I hereby give to (here set out any of the other institutions or enterprises) the following property," etc., as above.

The following are some of the enterprises, institutions, boards, etc., owned and supported by the Baptists of Alabama:
(a) State Board of Missions, Montgomery, Alabama.
(b) Bible Colportage and Tract Distribution, Montgomery, Alabama.
(c) Aged and Infirm Minister's Board, Birmingham, Alabama.
(d) Baptist Women's Missionary Union, Montgomery, Alabama.
(e) Louise Short Baptist Widow's and Orphan's Home, Evergreen, Alabama.
(f) Ministerial Education Board, East Lake, Alabama.
(g) Judson College, Marion, Alabama.
(h) Howard College, East Lake, Alabama.
(i) Southeast Alabama Collegiate Institute Newton, Alabama.
(k) Healing Springs Industrial Acadeny, Healing Springs, Alabama.
(1) Alabama Central Female College, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

The following schools in Alabama are maintained by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, and are worthy of consideration:

Gaylesville Academy, .-. .-. .-. .-. .-. .-. . .-. Gaylesville, Alabama.

Eldridge Academy,......................................
Beeson Academv.... ....... Pisgah, Alabama.
The enterprises belonging to the Southern Baptist Convention to which bequests might be made are:

The Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Georgia.
The Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Virginia.
The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.
The Southern Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn.
In the bequest the testator may state the specific purpose for which the same is to be used, or may simply leave the property to the institution, board, ctc., as the case may be, to be used as it sees fit in maintaining or supporting any of the objects or enterprises.

The will may direct the corpus or body of the gift to be kept in tact and only the net income used, or may not so restrict it.

In each instance describe accurately the property so that it can easily be identified, and the particular uses tn which it is to be applied.

Our law requires wills to be signed in the presence of two subscribing witnesses, who can write their names.

## CONSTITUTION.

ARTIC`E 1. -This body shall be known as "The Alabama Baptist Stitte Conwontion," :unt shall consist: (1) of three delegates from each Baptist District Association in Alahama coüperating with this Convention, if said Association shall have five hundred members, or under, and one additional delegate for everv five hundred members, or fraction thereof, above that number, whe se anmal election or appointment shall be duly certined by the printed minntes or certificate of an officer of the Association represented by them; (2) of one delegate from each church cooberating with this Convention, if said church shall have fifty members, or under, and one additional delegate for every fifty members, or fraction thereof, above that number; (3) of persons who contribute funds or are representatives of churches contributing fumds for the regular work of this convention, on the basis of one representative for each one hundred dollars actually paid into the treasury of the Boards of this Convention during the fiscal year preceding its assembly. But in all cases must delegates to this body be members of Baptist churches in good standing.

ARTICLE 11.-The officers of the Convention shall be a President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, and a Treasurer, together with a Board of Directors, as hereinafter named, who shall be elected at each meeting, and who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE IlI.-'The President, or, in case of his absence, one of the Vice-Presidents, in their order, shall preside at all the deliberations of the Convention, and discharge the duties usually imposed upon an executive officer of deliberative bodies.

ARTICLE IV.-The Secretary shall make a fair record of the proceedings of the Convention, and soon after the rising of each regular meeting of the body shall attend to the printing and distributing of the minutes of the same, of which he shall preserve a file, which file shall constitute the authenic record of the Convention. He shall also conduct the correspondence of the body. For his service he may receive a reasonable compensation. The printing of the minutes of the Convention and the compensation of the Secretary shall be paid for by a pro rata taken from the funds sent for the various objects fostered by this body each year.

ARTICLE V.-The Treasurer shall take charge of the funds of the Convention, and hold the same subject to the order of this body, or of the Board of Directors during the recess of the Convention; and he shall make an annual report of all receipts and expenditures, which shall be audited and published with the minutes.

ARTICLE VI.-The President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, with nine other brethren, shall compose the Board of Directors, five of whom shall form a quorum authorized to transact any business of the Convention during the recess thereof, and shall report their proceedings at each annual meeting of the Convention.

ARTICLE VII.-The President shall have power to call a meeting of the Board of Directors whenever the exigency of the circumstances may, in his judgment, require the same.

ARTICLE VIII.-The design of this Convention shall be to elicit, combine and direct the energies of the Baptists of Alabama in one sacred effort to encourage and promote (1) the propagation of the gospel in this

State, and, through the Southern Baptist Convention, in the destitute parts of the world; (2) the education of those it believes called of God to the ministry; (3) the education of the youth of our country; (4) the publication and distribution of the word of God and other literature; (5) the organization and usefulness of Sunday Schools and other religious and educational movements it may deen promotive of the interests of the Kingdom of Christ and sanctioned by the Word of God.

ARTICLE IX.-The Convention shall have the supreme control of any literary or theological institution which has been, or may hereafter be originated in this body; and it shall choose for such institution a board of twenty-four trustees to serve for six years, of whom one-third shall go out of office biennially, and the said trustees shall on all occasions be subject to the control of the Convention, and make an annual report to this body on the state of such institution.

ARTICLE X .-The Convention may receive funds from all such as may be disposed to aid in any of the benevolent purposes mentioned in the Eighth Article and it shall faithfully apply funds contributed to the objects which may be designated by the donors, a portion, however, being taken pro rata from the same for the contingent expenses in the event of the insufficiency of the general fund for that purpose.

ARTICLE XI.-The Convention may employ agents, whose duty it shall be to make collections, obtain subscriptions from societies, solicit churches and associations to unite with the Convention and to further all objects of this body.

ARTICLE XII.-The Convention shall have power to send delegates to the Southern Baptist Convention, and to any other assembly with which in its wisdom, it may wish to communicate.

ARTICLE XIII.-The Convention shall hold its meetings at such time and place as it shall, from time to time, appoint.

ARTICLE XIV.-The funds of the Convention shall consist of voluntary contributions or donations and not otherwise.

ARTICLE XV.-The Convention disclaims all right of exercising authority over any church or association, hereby acknowledging that every church is independent, and, within its own sphere, is accountable to nobody of men on earth.

ARTICLE XVI.-This Constitution may be altered or amended by the concurrence of three-fourths of the members present at any annual meeting, but not so as to infringe the Fifteenth Article.

ARTICLE XVII.-All amendments or alterations of this Constitution shall be proposed at one session and acted upon at the next.

Kerfoot's "Parliamentary Law" and Mell's "Parliamentary Practice," so far as applicable, have been adopted for the government of the Convention, the former to govern in points where they conflict. (Item 19, Minutes 1900.)

## ALABAMA BAPTIST MINSTERIAK, BENEFTT SOCHETY.

Enterprise, Ala., November 19, 1913.
The Alahamat Batptist Ministerial Benclit Society held its eleventh ammal meeting in the Baptist Church, Enterprise, Na., November 19, 19113. The President W. B. Crumpton and Secretary-'Treasurer W. J. lilliott read their ammal reports, which were manimously adopted, as follows:

## Financial Statement.

The statement of linances for the year and four months ending November 15,1913 , is as follows:

## Keceived

Caish on hand July 15, 1912..................................................... 49899
Nembership Fees.... .-......................................................... 52100
Issessment No. 16. Rev. F. M1. Woods.-............................... 60400
Assessment No. 17, Rev. W. V. Vice.................................... 560 . 00
\$ 2, 183 99
Paid Out

Assessment No. 16, Mrs. F. M. Woods_-.............................. 60000
Assessment No. 17, Mrs. W. V. Vice_-................................... 55000
Dues and Assessments, Rev. A. Y. Napier ................................... 500
Cash on hand November 15, 1913........................................................ 77287
$\$ 2,18399$
Respectfully submitted,
W. J. ELLIOTT, Sceretary-Treasurer.

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of W. J. Elliott, Secretary-Treasurer, and find the same correct and supported by vouchers.
W. B. CRUMP'TON, Auditor.

Montgomery, Ala., November 15, 1913.

## The Eleventh Annual Report.

Dear Brethren:
All are aware of the loss by death of two of our beloved brethren, W. V. Vice and F. M. Woods. Death claimed also one of our honored honorary members, Brother T. U. Crumpton.

We are sorry to report the loss of twenty members for non-payment of dues and assessments. The families of some of them, no doubt, will greatly regret their action.

Since our organization, eleven years ago, we have lost seventeen members. Those of us who have been in from the beginning have paid out an average of $\$ 4.00$ each year. Certainly a very small per cent. on a possible $\$ 500.00$ our families would have received had any of us died.

Besides the very cheap insurance we have been carrying for the benefit of our families, we have aided seventeen families left, in some cases, almost penniless. Who would want his noney back? It is gratifying to know we have a net gain of thirty-six.

Many of our laymen would gladly become honorary members with us if the matter were explained to them.

Out of the twelve or fourteen hundred ordained ministers we have in the State, surely we should have more of them members of our Society.

The Secretary-Treasurer reports a balance on hand of $\$ 772.87$. Why should not some of this money be placed where it would be bringing us an income? I would suggest that the Executive Committee be instructed to loan it out on good security or deposit it in a savings bank.

At this Convention let every one of the members go out and "Compel them to come in," if any are found eligible outside of the fold. Let's have two hundred at this meeting. We can if we will.

Respectfully,
W. B. CRUMPTON
W. J. Elliott and others discussed the work of the Society, after which the following officers were re-elected: President, W. B. Crumpton; Secre-tary-Treasurer, W. J. Elliott; Executive Committee, President, SecretaryTreasurer, C. A. Stakely, I. A. Cook, and J. H. Bush.

At a call meeting of the Society Thursday morning at 8:30, Dr. Crumpton presiding, the Constitution was amended so as to read as follows: "Any ordained white Missionary Baptist preacher under sixty-five years of age, having charge of a church or churches, or any other white person engaged exclusively in denominational work in reasonable good health," etc.

Rev. J. H. Longerier was requested to confer with the program committee and ask them to give us a suitable place on the program of the Minister's Meeting next year.

W. J. ELLIOTT, Secretary-Treasurer,<br>W. B. CRUMPTON, President.



## LIST OF ORDAINED MINISTERS.

IN ORDER (.) perfect this list it is absolutely necessary that copies of the Mintes of the Assuciations be sent to me. It would satve me a great amount of valuable time if the Clerks of the Associations would make their li ts alphathetical An earnest request is herewith made of the Clerks to print and send me a copy of their Minutes promptly.
M. M. WOOD, Statistical Secritary, Repton, Ala
[Note-Star means Rural Free Delivery.]

| thorne | Archer, J. F., Columbiana |
| :---: | :---: |
| Abernathy, T. C.., Athens | Armstrong, Aris, Headland |
| Abermathy, W. W. , Center | Armstrong, II. J., Clanton |
| Abernathy, J. C., East Lake | Arnold, H. R., LaFaycte |
| Absher, IV. H., Hanceville *2. | Arnold, R. B., Ozark |
| Acuff, J. F., Ensley | Arrington, Robt., Eufaula |
| Adams, J. R., Dothan *3. | Atkinson, E. S., Headland |
| Adams, N. F., Lay | Auston, J. T., Attalla *2 |
| Adams, W. Y., Bangor *2 | Auston, W. H., Russellville |
| Adams, S. A., Jackson | Auston, S. A., Talladega |
| Adams, IV. R., Opelika |  |
| Adams, G. W., Double Springs | Baggett, W. E., Huntsville |
| Adams, S. M., Clanton | Bagley, J. W., Taff |
| Adams, W. W., Chelsea | Bailey, W. M., Haleyville |
| Adamson, R. J., Elba | Bailey, P. P., Wedowee |
| Aders, J. L., East Lake | Bailey, R. B., America *2 |
| Akins, J. R., Ft. Payne | Baker, C. Ross, D. D., Opelika |
| Akin, J. H., Akron | Baker, L. H., Berry *2 |
| Allen, T, H., Cullman *9 | Baker, R. A., Ensley |
| Allen, A. G., DeArmanville | Baker, A., Clanton *6 |
| Allen, J. D., Tennille | Baker, J. C., Grant |
| Aldridge, A. R., Birmingham *3 | Ballenger, C., Brown's Creek |
| Allen, R. M., Almond | Bane, G. W., Pisgah |
| Allen, D. C., Paxton, Fla. | Banter, D. A., Bessemer |
| Allen, G. W., Anniston | Barber, J. E., Fairview |
| Allen, A. F., DeArmanville | Barfield, L. D., Naftel *1 |
| Alexander, Allen, Fyffe | Barnard, Frank, Pratt City |
| Alexander, J. C., Bessemer | Barnes, E. S., Demopolis |
| Alexander, W. A., Boaz *7 | Barnes, J. E., Pratt City |
| Almon, W. U., Heflin *1 | Barnes, F. M., Guntersville |
| Albrooks, H. E., Russellville | Barnes, J. M1., Georgiana *2 |
| Anders, J. L., Leighton | Barnett, J. A., Sylacauga |
| Anderson, H. L., Hiberger | Barnett, Frank Willis, Birming- |
| Anderson, J. D., Mobile | ham |
| Anderson, W. M., D. D., B'ham | Barnett, B. M., Gcorgiana *2 Barr W. M1. Bells Mill |
| Andress, S. W., Greenville | Bartlett, J. T., Center |
| Andrews, A., New Decatur | Bartlett, J. J., Falls City |
| Ansley, S. J., East Lake | Bartley, W. T., Blanton |
| Apsey, J. G., Greensboro | Bass, S. V., Halcyville |

Bateman, R. J., D. D., Troy
Bates, J. W., Anniston
Bates, L. A., Ft. Deposit *1
Batson, A. B. Bessemer *
Batson, A. J., Bessemer *5
Baxter, J. W., Chatom
Beal, J. A., Greensboro
Bealle, J. T., Northport
Bedel, W. H., Waverly *
Bean, J. R., Pratt City
Bell, J. E., Fayette
Bell, G. L., Dadeville
Bell, L. H., Bessemer *4
Bennett, S. H., Jacksonville
Benson, R. K., Nettleboro
Bentley, O. P., Enterprise
Bentley, C. J., Enterprise
Berry, B. M., Painter *1
Berry, C. D., Theodore
Bethune, J. D., Ft. Payne
Bevis, R. D., LaPine
Bice, F. W. C., Billingsley
Bice, J. C., Ashville *3
Bice, Isaac, Clanton *3
Bird, Scott, Cullman *8
Bishop, J. C., East B'ham
Bishop, J. J., New Decatur *2
Bishop. L. J., Ohatchie
Black, Jehu, Brundidge
Black, J. S., Sylacauga
Black, W. M., Madison *2
Black, W. H., Brundidge
Blackman, H. H., Enterprise
Blackman, S. J., Marble Valley
Blackwelder, W. M., D. D., B'ham, West End
Blair, Thomas, Center *1
Blake, Preston, D. D., B'liam, Hanover Circle
Blake, R. H., Haleyville
Blakeny, L. C., Millport
Blakenship, J. A., Somerville
Bledsoe, W. C., D. D., LaFayette
Bledsoe, J. O., Grove Hill
Blansit, W. C., Getup
Blizard, A. L., Thomasville
Bolling, J. S., Sprott
Boman, G. B., Heflin
Bomar, P. V., D. D., Marion
Bone, J. F., Sylacauga
Bone, W. T., Clanton
Boroughs, S. E., Newton
Bottoms, J. M., Clarkson
Bowerman, E. M., Blountsville *2
Bowles, L. H., Troy
Bowlin, J. W., Getup
Bowlin, G. B., Heflin *2
Bracewell, B. F., Dothan

Bradley, H. C., Oneonta *4
Bradley, L. M., B'ham, 1921 Alois St.
Bradley, W. E., Oak Grove
Bradley, Ellis, Ala. City
Brady, E. W., Gadsden
Branham, M. T., B'ham *6
Brannon, A. S., Roanoke
Brasher, R. R., Maplesville
Breden, Wm., Farill
Brewer, G. E., Notasulga
Brewer, M. S., Inland
Brewer, E. S., Village Springs
Brindley, G. L., Cullman *2
Briscoe, A. W., Camp Hill
Brock, L. N., Knoxville
Brock, J. S., Crudup
Brock, W. E., Edwardsville *1
Brock, J. F., Thomasville
Brooks, W. E., Edwardsville
Brooks, B. F., Evergreen
Brooks, R. W., Atmore
Brooks, J. W., Samson
Brooks, W. C., Ashland
Brooks, D. J., Elba
Brooks, A. J., Black
Brooks, D. R., Danville
Brooks, T. J., Victoria
Brown, E. L., Jasper
Brown, J. R., Cullman *7
Brown, W. S., B'ham
4804 10th Ave., N.
Brown, J. W., Huntsville
Brown, J. M., Boaz *5
Brown, P. W., Bridgeport
Brown, G. W., Dewdrop
Browning, W. Y., Cordova
Browning, A. J., Louina
Brunson, J. E., Mobile
Bryant, W. N., Dewdrop
Buchanan, J. S., Dora
Buck, B. J., Midland City
Buckner, J. C., Oneonta *2
Bulger, P. D., Andalusia *3
Bunderick, A. J., Tennille *1
Burden, C. J., Opelika
Burdeshaw, D. E., Dothan *5
Burford, A. J., Piedmont
Burgess, D. M., Round Mountain *2
Burgess, A. P., Mentone
Burkett, J. W., Dothan
Burson, S. R., Altoona *2
Burson, J. D., B'ham, East
Burton, M. C., Bessemer *6
Busby, J. L., Calera *1
Bush, J. H., Goodwater
Butts, J. A., Vincent

Buzbee, J. E., Arkadelphia *2
Buzleec, H. 11., Louisville
Bynum, H. (i., Albertwille Byrd, J. B., Tralladega Springs
Byrd, B., Citronclle
Byrom, 'T. M., East Flurence
Caffey, Tom, Bessemer
Cagle, A. J., Boaz *4
Cain, W. H., Citronclle
Caldwell, J. R., l’rattville
Callemer, Č. S., Pritchard
Calloway, P. M., Nimfalia
Calvert, J. C., Bremen *z
Cambron, W. 'T., Arab
Camp, J. B., Phil Campled
Camp, C. D., Newell *1
Camp, A. T., Samson
Camp, H. T., Phil Campbell
Campbell, W. J., Heflin *3
Campbell, J. L., Fulton
Cannon, J. A., Deatsville
Cannon, J. P., Aclair
Cannon, J. E., Arab *1
Carbo, D. R., Somerville
Carlisle, R. W., Birmingham
Carlton, W. W., Montevallo
Carlyle, P. H., Callahan
Carnes, A. B., Cedar Bluff
Carr, S. H., Jacksonville
Carr, Thomas, Warrior
Carroll, D., Amos
Carson, W. H., B'ham
Carter, H. R., Deerhurst
Cash, J. M., Boaz *2
Castello, B. J., Geneva
Caudle, IV. T., Eldridge
Chadwick, J. T., Fyffe *1
Chadwick, J. M., Gadsden
Chambers, J. C., Russellyille
Chambers, L., Albertville *1
Chambers, B., Cullman *9
Chamblee, T. J., Bangor *2
Chambliss, J. A., Greenville *5
Champion, J. E., Jemison *1
Chance, G. C., Matthews
Chance, W. A., Cullman *9
Chandler, WI. IV., B'ham, East Lake
Chandler, J. H., Coldwater
Chandler, G. IW., Hanceville
Chandler, J. W., Munford
Chandler, J. M., Blountsville
Chapman, J. H., Florence
Chatman, M. Z. T., Lineville
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W．P．Hester，Russellville＊．
D．I．Bolding，Mingo，Miss＿
W．E．Harris，Red Bay＊2－Underwood，Tuscumbia
Wm．Overton，Hodges－－－
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A．J．MeBrayer，Ju．，Tuscumbi
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J．H．，Hargett，Russellville

A．P．Malone，Russellville．．．
H．E．Alsbrooks，Russellville
H．James，Vina－－＊2
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W．Daily，Saragosa－＿－
W．T．McClung，Vina＊1
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| Pleasant Ridge (2) | 118 | 2 |  |  | J. W. Clark, Phil Campbeil | J. S. Firher, Russellville |  |  | 5 min |
| Poplar Creek |  | 3 |  |  | R. R. Vaughn, Che okee--- | I. R. Wimberly, Cleave |  |  |  |
| Pilkrinıs Rest | 51 |  |  |  | 13. F. Shank, Natural Bridge | 1.. R. Howell Red Bay |  |  | 1200 |
| Reet Shiloh .-. | 59 |  |  |  | B. I1. James, Vina *2 ${ }^{2}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | A. P. Bolding -- |  |  | (30) |
| Siloam. | 7.4 | 2 | 7 | 4 | R. R. Vaughn, Cherokee | E. W. Hust. Russel | J. H. İargret |  | 750 |
| Single Springs | 49 |  |  |  | W. T. MeClung, Vina *2- |  |  |  |  |
| Union Grove | 13 |  | 7 | 75 | J. W. Clark, Phil Campbell | R. J. Wood, Phil Campbel |  |  | $2(0)$ |
| Vina ------- | 36 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | S(x) |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Totals } 1912 \text { - -- }- \text { - } \\ & \hline \text { Totals } 1911 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 54 | 539 |  |  |  |  | 11006 9 |
|  | 18.55 | 24.3 | 56 | 486 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bigbee Association-Moderator, Elder J. E. Herring, Sumterville; Clerk, J. D. Phillips, Yan Next Session (62) with Concord Church, September 10, 1913. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Beulah.. | 33 |  | 6 | 30 | J. E. Vaughan, Lowell | G. C. Garison, Cuba | G. C. Garr |  |  |
|  | 21 |  |  |  | J. E. Vaughan, Lowell- | G. A. Scott, Butler- |  |  | 1 (10x) |
| Christian Valley | 35 <br> 52 |  | 7 | 30 | J. E. Tucker, Nanafalia | W. Blakeney, Coatopa A. W. Strickland, Jachin | J. C. Hord |  | (10x) |
| Clinton--- |  |  |  |  | J. E. Herring, Sumterville |  |  |  |  |
| Concord | 104 |  | 7 | 50 | J. D. Cook, Pushmataha | j. H. Bryan, Yantley | W. H. Phillip |  | 2000 |
| Cuba | 196 | 21 | 16 | 149 | C. M. Morris, Cuba---- | W. U. Shaw, Cuba- | A. S. Vanhoos |  |  |
| Demopolis | 8.5 | 1 | 11 |  | J. L. Robinson, Demopolis | C. L. Simmons, Dem | J. C. Keller. Dem |  | 2(x)0 |
| Epes-- | 14 | 5 | $\stackrel{5}{8}$ | ${ }_{6} 16$ | J. E. Herring, Sumterville | J. R. S. Smicrs, Epes | John McKinle |  | 2-5) |
| Hopewell (S. Co. | 21 |  | 7 |  | J. R. Larkin, Coatopa | A. B. Spidle, Belmont | A. B. Spidle, Belmont |  |  |
| Livingston.- | 96 |  | 11 | 135 | A. C. Davidson, Livingsto | W. H. Coleman, Livings | T. F. Scale, Livingston |  | $40 \times 10$ |
| Mt. Hermon $\dagger$ | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mt. Labanon $\dagger$ | 32 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mew Prospect- | 20 |  | 5 | 20 | J. T . Larkin, Coatooa | 1. D. Hoyt, Livingston | T. A. Hawkins |  |  |
| Rehoboth.-- | 4.4 |  |  |  | J. D. Cook, Pushmataha | J. W. Cook, Pushmatah |  |  | 15\% |
| Shortst | 145 |  |  | 48 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sumterville | 14.3 |  |  |  | J. E. Herring. Sumtervile | H. B. Praytor, Sumterville | H. B. Praytor, |  | $10 \times 1$ |
| York | 42 |  | 6 | 72 | J. W. Rucker, Eutaw - | G. C. Walker, York. | W. E. Barron, York |  | $1(\mathrm{kN})$ |
| Totals 1912 |  |  |  | 771 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Totals 1911 | 1247 | 38 | 91 | 731 |  |  |  |  | 260.0 |

Birmingham Association-Moderator, J. W. Minor, Ensley; Clerk, Alvin M. Douglas, 607 American Trust Building.


Blount County Association-Concluded.


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| Butler Springs | 76 | 5 | 6 |  | J. C. Dunlap, Forest Iome- |
| Chapman.- | 51 | 2 | 6 | 56 | C. E. Moorman, Georgiana |
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| Gariandea | 57 | 9 | 7 | 26 | J. E. Mandiver, Chapman --- |
| Gravel Hiil | 163 | 2 | 19 | 182 | C. E. Moorman, Georgiana |
| Graenville. | 46 | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | ${ }_{15}^{6}$ | 25 | J. L. P. Cook, |
| Indian Cree |  |  |  |  |  |
| McKinzie. | 62 | , | 8 | 30 | J. C. Vunlap, Forest Home.- |
| Monte |  |  |  |  | J. C. Dunlap, Fores |
| Mt. Olive E | 117 |  |  |  | J. L. P. Cook, Greenville |
| Mt. Olive W | 110 | 15 | 11 | 58 | J. M. Cook, Greenville *3 |
| Mt. Pisgah | 134 | 8 |  |  | A. C. Shell, Georgiana * |
| Mt. Pleasant | 129 |  | 5 | 45 | . Cook |
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| Pinco Level | 27 | 1 | 6 | 35 | C. Dunlap, Fo |
| Pleasant Hill |  |  | 6 | 42 | F. M. Fletcher, Georgia |
| Sardis | 201 | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 6 | 30 | Shell, Georgian |
| Shackleville |  | 2 | 6 | 20 | J. L. P. Cook, Greenvill |
| Spring Hill | 107 | 16 | 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 25 \end{aligned}$ | J. Mi. Cook Graver. Chapma |
| Totals 1912 | 2635 | 111 |  | 325 |  |
| Totals 191 | 2564 | 8.5 | 172 | 1264 |  |


Cahaba Association-Concluded.

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| Melton | 13 |  |  |  | J. S. Wood, Greensboro | A. T. Rhodes, Greensbor |  | \$ | 500 |
| Moundville. | 138 |  | 12 | 70 | W. K. E. James, Tuscaloo | J. D. Geddie, Moundvil | J. D. Geddee, Moundville |  | 1200 |
| Mt. Hebron | 102 | 7 | 6 | 78 | J. G. Lowery, Birmingham | W. N. Holston, Akron. | R. J. Holston, Akron --- |  | 700 |
| Mt. Olive_ | 98 |  | 8 | 40 | W. H. Connell, Stanton-- | Wm. Hughey, Sprott. | Wm. Hughey, Sprott.- |  | 800 |
| Newberne. | 36 | 2 | 8 | 35 | J. A. Beal, Greensboro - | W. A. Sing, Newberne | A. H. Pollard, Newberne |  | 1000 |
| New Home | 85 | 5 |  |  | T. B. Sumner, Moundville | S. Hoggle, Hogglesburg |  |  | 500 |
| Ocmulgee. | 115 | 9 | 8 | 43 | J. A. McCrary, Augustine | B. F. Houston, Perryvi | J. T. Smith |  | 1000 |
| Perryville. | 29 | 2 | 7 | 30 | J. A. McCrary, Augustine | J. B. Fuller, Perryville. | J. M. Pryor |  | 1000 |
| Pine Flat. | 49 | 9 | 10 | 59 | W. N. Swain, Marion...- | J. M. Alexander, Felix- | G. B. Suttle |  | 2000 |
| Pine Grove | 89 | $\overline{-}$ | 6 | 51 | T. E. Sanders, Woodstock | P. T. Tubb, Centerville | R. T. Furgerso |  | 500 |
| Pisgah | 79 | 2 | 8 | 50 | J. A. McCrary, Augustine | H. J. Edwards, Perryvill | R. C. Stone.. |  | 1200 |
| Sardis | 86 | 2 |  |  | T. B. Sumner, Moundville | J. T. Griffin |  |  | 900 |
| Siloam.. Uniontow | 401 101 | 15 | 18 | 153 | P. V. Bomar, Marion | C. B. Carter, Marion |  |  | 25000 |
| Uniontow | 101 | 1 | 9 | 40 | C. M. Morris, Cuba | J. O. Shaw, Uniontown | J. A. Haynesworth, Uniontown |  | 500 |
| Totals 1912 | 2480 | 86 | 178 | 1166 |  |  |  | \$ | 58350 |

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Carey Association-Concluded.


Central Association-Moderator, J. C. Maxwell, Alexander City; Clerk, Elder D. S. Martin, Equality
Next Session (69) with Harmony Church, September 30, 1913.



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## Cherokee County Association-Moderator, Elder W. W. Grogan, Cedar Bluff; Clerk, G. G. Lawrence, Cedar Bluff. Next Session (79) with Bethel Church, October 23, 1913.

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## Clarke County Association－Moderator，W．D．Dunn，Grove Hill；Clerk，Elder J．H．Creighton，Whatley．

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Clarke County Association-Concluded.

| CHURCH |  |  | S. SCHOOLS |  | PASTOR | CLERK | Superintendent of Sunday School |  |  |
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| Union <br> West Bend <br> Witch Creek | 78 <br> 55 <br> 78 | $11$ | 6 <br> 8 <br> 5 | 402032 | J. S. Williams, Whatley C. W. Cook, Coffeeville <br> C. W. Cook, Coffeeville. | B. P. Clark, Allen <br> J. A. Turner, West Bend <br> W. Cunningham, Cunningham | G. W. Duke, Allen_ <br> J. A. Turner, West Bend <br> M. E. Jordan, Cunningham |  | $\begin{array}{r}700 \\ 1000 \\ 700 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
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| Totals 1912. Totals 1911 | 4804 | 170 | 262 | 2114 |  |  |  | \$ | 38450 |
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| Double Springs | 119 | 11 |  |  | T. P. Sutherland, Double Spring | S. F. Dodd, Double Springs | w. C. Shotts, Double Springs |  | 350 |
| Fairview - | 29 | $\overline{2}$ |  |  | E. B. Welburn, Double Springs | W. F. Glenn, Double Spring |  |  |  |
| Friendship | 42 | 7 |  |  | J. D. Tankersley------ | L. W. Hays- |  |  |  |
| Haleyville | 170 | 11 |  |  | J. T. Johnson, Haleyville- | W. V. Willis, Haleyville | R. W. Woods, Haleyville |  | 800 |
| Houston ----- | 45 89 | 6 16 |  |  | J. K. P. Taylor, Haleyville. | A. G. Taylor, Haleyville |  |  | 75 |
| Macedonia $\dagger$ | 114 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Morris Mill ----- | 67 | 4 |  |  | J. C. Steele, Double Springs | George, Winters, Winfiel | J. G. Bramle |  |  |
| Mt. Hebron-.-- | 56 | 5 |  |  | G. W. Davis, Double Springs | J. E. Wilson, Double Sprin | R. L. Pearson |  | 300 |
| Mt. Pisgah | ${ }_{81}^{45}$ | 13 |  |  | D. H. Griggs, Upshaw | I. N. Curtis, Peaks Mill |  |  |  |
| New Prospect- | 206 | 12 |  |  | T. W. Shelton, Haleyville- | J. D. Briscoe, Haleyville | W. C. Dillard |  | 80 |
| Oak Grove $\dagger$--- | 19 |  |  |  | J. J. Bartlett, Falls City | G. R. Mills, Double Springs |  |  | 500 |
| Pleasant Hill (1) | 34 |  |  |  | J. T. Thompson, Haleyvilie- | J. O. Jacobs, Haleyville --- |  |  | 100 |
| Rock Creek | 130 |  |  |  | E. B. Wilburn, Double Springs- | G. A. Steele, Double Spring |  |  |  |
| Rock Plains. | 12 | 3 |  |  | G. S. Mcouairy, Double Springs | L. A. Strickkan, Nauvoo-- |  |  | 170 |
| Sardis (1)- | 133 | 12 |  |  | J. J. Wakefield, Delmar_. | W. F. Farris, Delmar- |  |  |  |
| Sardis (2) $\dagger$ - | 72 |  |  |  | J. P. Pugh, Haleyville | R. P. Crittenden, Haleyvil |  |  |  |
| Union, Chapel. | 56 |  |  |  | J. C. Steele, Double Springs | C. L. Seymore |  |  | 100 250 |
| Union Grove--- | 116 |  |  |  | G. W. Davis, Double Springs | W. M. Luther, Double Sprin |  |  |  |
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| Totals 1911 | ${ }_{2227}^{2426}$ | 261 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 95 |

Coffee County Association－Moderator，J．A．Carnley，Elba；Clerk，C．O．Healms，Elba． Next Session（6）with New Brockton Church，October 22， 1913.



H．S．Nichols，Chancellor－－－．－． D．M．Eiland，Brantley J．M．Loflin Troy

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J．D．Fuller，Newton－
D．L．Mosley，Hartford
W．H．Segrames，Elba
W．E．Hayes，Ozark
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Colbert Association－Moderator，A．J．Ivie，Sheffield；Clerk，Elder G．H．Freeman，Russellville． Next Session（17）at Cherokee，September 3， 1913.

| CHURCH |  |  | S．SCHOOLS |  | PASTOR | CLERK | Superintendent of Sunday School |  |
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| Barton | 28 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 7 | 30 | Z．W．McNeal，Cherokee | A．J．Bryan，Barton－－－ | A．J．Bryan，Baton | \＄ 400 |
| Bethany | 85 | 2 | 6 8 | 70 40 | R．R．Coffee，Hillsboro－－－ | $\dot{W}$ ．${ }^{\text {J．Tubb，Mehamail }}$ | J．R．Dawson，Clever－－－ | 1000 |
| ${ }_{\text {Chereme }}$ Chere | 191 | 3 | 8 5 | 51 | Z．W．McNeal，Cherokee－ | J．C．Patterson，Cheroke | B．T．Hunt，Cherokee | 1000 500 |
| Cherry Hill | 102 |  | 7 | 55 | W．H．Austin，Russellville | A．J．Richeson，Russellvil | W．G．Sugg，Russellville | 500 1200 |
| Leighton－ | ${ }_{134}$ |  | 6 8 | 40 50 | Z．W．McNeal，Cherokee－ | J．Q．Aycock，Leighton－ | E．Christian，Leighton－ | 1000 |
| Liberty $\dagger$－ | 134 | 9 | 8 | 45 | John Roberts，Moulton | F．S．Roe，Russellville． | N． L ．Wimberly，Russellville | 500 700 |
| ）Okolona | 111 | 7 | 9 | 87 | J．A．Eaves，Sheffield．－ | J．W．Bradford，Tuscum | J．Houston，Tuscumbia | 700 |
| Pilgrim Rest $\dagger$ | 52 |  | 5 | 40 |  |  |  | 1100 |
| Riverton - － Russellvill | 17 370 | 1 3 | 16 | 238 | G．W．McNeal，Cherokee | A．J．Thompson，Riverto | N．C．Greenhill Russellvile | 16000 |
| Sheffield，First | 167 |  | 14 | 225 | I．W．Martin，Sheffield－－－ | E．F．Little，Sheffield－ | M．S．Hansborough，Sheffield | 9000 1300 |
| Sheffield，Fur．Hill | $\begin{array}{r}56 \\ 185 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 8 25 | 40 106 |  | C．A．Womble，Tuscumbi | W．T．McFadden，Tuscumbia | 10000 |
| Valley Grove $\dagger$ | 185 37 | 5 | 2.5 5 | 10 |  | C．A．Womble，Tusctumb |  | 300 |
| Totals 1912 | 1775 | 31 | 137 | 1137 |  |  |  | \＄ $\begin{aligned} & 44700 \\ & 44450\end{aligned}$ |
| Totals 1911 | 1737 | 168 | 98 | 1071 |  |  |  |  |

Columbia Association－Moderator，C．H．Davis，Columbia；Clerk，E．J．Whiddon，Dothan． Next Session（29）with Webb Church，October 8， 1913.



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78 & 2 & 11 & 150 & \text { J. H. Gunter, Ashford } \\
89 & 10 & 7 & 65 & \text { J. W. Owens, Headland } \\
74 & 5 & - & - & \text { S. T. Spivey, Dothan, *2 } \\
239 & -27 & 2 & 8 & 59 \\
\hline 8 & \text { J. W. Owens, Headland } \\
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Crenshaw County Association-Concluded.

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| Glenwood | 75 | 4 | 11 | 72 | H. D. Wilson, Brantley | J. N. Phillips, Glenwood | W. M. Green, Glenwood | \$ 1000 |
| Grand Hill.- | 53 | 10 | 8 | 40 | R. F. Hawkins, Luverne | J. W. Leverett, Luverne | W. H. Lee.---------- |  |
| Luverne--- | 128 83 | +3 | 11 | 90 | C. J. Crawford, Luverne | J. N. Pollard, Luverne | W. G. Cameron | 2000 400 |
| Mt. Ida | 50 | + 2 | 5 | 26 | J. P. Graham, Elba | H. J. Sanders, Brantley | W. R. Hamilton--- | 400 |
| Mt. Olive..- | 8 |  |  |  | C. L. Eiland, Brantley | H. J. Sanders, Brantley |  |  |
| Mt. Zion.- | 102 | 6 | 13 | 38 | R. F. Hawkins, Luverne | D. L. Catrett, Glenwoo | Y. M. Capps | 550 |
| New Harmony | 47 | 3 | 8 | 20 | R. F. Hawkins, Luverne | R. B. Patterson, Luverne | M. W. Barrington | 750 |
| Patesburg †---- | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 850 |
| Pleasant Home $\dagger$ - | 14 |  | 3 | 25 |  |  |  | 600 |
| Rutledge.-.-.--- | 29 |  | 6 | 63 |  |  |  | 600 300 |
| Spring Hill | 188 | 16 |  |  | J. J. Nelson, Shady Grov | M. M. Killough, Rutledg |  | 300 |
| Pigeon Creek $\dagger$ | 65 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 400 |
|  | 46 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 400 |
| Totals 1912 | 1563 | 83 | 102 | 578 |  |  |  | \$ 11150 |
| Totals 1911. | 1628 | 60 | 69 | 508 |  |  |  | 10900 |

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DeKalb County Association-Concluded.


Escambia Association-Moderator, M. F. Brooks, Brewton; Clerk, D. C. Buison, Brewton.

Etowah Association-Moderator, Elder J. M. Solley, Gadsden; Clerk, R. R. Yeats, Gadsden. Next Session (30) with Macedonia Church, September 25, 1913.

Eufaula Association-Moderator, G. L. Comer, Eufaula; Clerk, J. J. S. Willis, Clayton
Eufaula Association-Concluded.


Gilliam Springs Association－Concluded．

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Harmony Grove Association－Moderator，J．D．Studdard，Kansas；Clerk，R．W．Clark，Sulligent．
Next Session（22）with Beaverton Church，October 7， 1913.



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Judson Association Concluded.


Marshall County Association-Moderator, Elder W. M. Garrett, Boaz; Clerk, W. H. Garrett, Alberiville. Next Session (26) with Union Church, September 23, 1913.


Mobile Association-Concluded.

| CHURCH | UEEE |  | S. SCHOOLS |  | PASTOR | CLERK | Superintendent of Sunday School |  |
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| Tabernacle | 323 | 2 | 19 | 150 | W. P. Wilkes, Mobile | James Abney, Mobile.- | W. E. Lockler, Mobile | 19500 |
| Myers Memorial | 59 | 11 | 9 | 35 | J. W. Langham, Mobile | A. L. Wolf, Whistler- | A. L. Wolf, Whistler | 800 |
| Oak Dale Pine Grove | 291 | 16 | 13 | 163 | B. S. Vaughn, Mobile - - | J. E. Patterson, Mobile. | S. R. Smith, Mobile. | 3000 |
| Pine Grove <br> Point Clear | 34 |  | 4 | 45 | J. S. Lambert, Bay Mine | T. A. White, Bay Minett |  |  |
| Prichard.-. | 99 | 4 | 12 | 90 | J. D. Anderson, Mobile. | I. M. Clancy Prichard | J. Z. Bryars, Prichard | 1100 |
| Semmes. | 38 | 10 | 6 | 30 | J. M. Kailin, Mobile.- | J. A, Wulff, Semmes... | J. F. Harroun, Semmes | 600 |
| Shell Bank | 138 |  | 9 | 43 | J. D. Wilkes, Bon Secour | D. W. Smith, Palmetto B | J. A. Nelson, Gasque.- | 400 |
| Shiloh--: | 23 |  | 5 | 20 |  |  |  | 500 |
| Silver Hill | 52 |  | 10 | 78 | C. G. Johnson, Silver Hil | J. A. Edfeldt, Robertsdal | J. Gustafson, Robertsdale | 3000 |
| Summerdale | 34 | 2 | 8 | 35 | J. D. Wilkes, Bon Secour | E. E. Gulledge, Summerd | D. Duzant, Summerdale, | 150 |
| Theodore | 72 |  | 8 | 50 |  | M. V. Rowell, Theodore. | C. D. Berry, Theodore | 1500 |
| Union Wheelerville | 185 | 17 | 9 | 55 | J. W. Langham, Mobile | C. H. Dees, Grand Bay | A. J. Hubbard, Spring Hill | 1000 |
| Wilmer...-- | 58 57 | 1 | 4 | 30 | J. M. Kombard, Mreodore | A. E. Emmons, Wilmer | Mrs. Lula Fincher---- | 500 1000 |
| Zion.-. | 66 |  | 8 | 45 | J. M. Kailin, Mobil | T. W. Davis, Mobile.. | W. H. Rowell, Mobile. | 1500 |
| Totals 1912 | 3500 | 129 | 300 | 2407 |  |  |  | \$ 244775 |
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| First | 1025 | 6 | 57 | 541 | C．A．Stakely，Montgomery－ |
| Highland Avenu | 302 | 1 | 29 | 210 | L．B．Crantford，Montgomer |
| Second | 68 |  | 10 | 60 | J．B．Shelton，Montgomery－ |
| Seventh A | 167 | 12 | 10 | 90. | G．W．Lovell，Montgomery－ |
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| t．Lebano | 45 | 9 | 4 | 30 | W．H．Sharpe，La Pine |
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| mer | 103 |  | 8 | 75 | J．L．Thompson．Brundidge |
| tumpka | 300 | 11 | 20 | 197 | A．J．Moseley．Wetumpka |
| Totals $19[2$ | 3997 | ［22 | 315 | 2495 |  |
| Totals 1911 | 4039 | 258 | 276 | 26.56 |  |

Mud Creek Association-Moderator, S. A. Parsons, Adger *4; Clerk, J. M. Gilbert, Cordova *1. Next Session (42) with Big Creek Church, October 15, 1913.


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North River Association-Concluded.



Randolph County Association-Moderator, H. R. Moore, Wedowee; Clerk, Nixon Lucas, Malone.


Sardis Association-Moderator, J. W. Brooks, Samson; Clerk, J. B. Wise, Kinston. *1 Next Session (20) with Chapel Hull Church, October 8, 1913.


## Selma Association-Moderator, Lewis Johnson, Orrville; Clerk, Elder J. G. Dobbins, Orrville



Shelby County Association-Concluded.

 Next Session (40) at Dora, October 17, 1913.
Sulphur Springs Association -Moderator, W. R. Speakman, Warrior *2; Clerk, J. W. Roberts, Arkadelphia, *2. - - -
Shady Grove Association-Moderator, J. W. Fairless, Hodges; Clerk, D. Y. Wisener, Phil Campbell, *2.

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| Antioch --- | 40 | 6 | 4 | 70 | T. J. Fowler, Phil Campbel1 *3 | Tillie Brook, Phil Campbell *2 |  |  |  |
| Bear Creek, | 87 | 6 | 8 |  | T. W. Shelton, Haley ville | D. Y. Wisener, Phil Campbell ${ }^{2}$ | E. C. Burton, Phil Campbell ${ }^{\text {F }}$ |  | 350 200 |
| Bear Creek, 2 | 43 | 5 | 6 | 55 | J. T. Johnson, Haleyville - | A. R. Bentley, Bear Creek-...--- | A. R. Bentley, Bear Creek.-... |  | 600 |
| Bethany- | 35 | 3 | 8 | 30 | M. J. Frost, Hodges .-. - | J. J. Glenn, Hamilton--.- | A. R. Bentley, Bear Creek. |  | 250 |
| Bethel-- | 42 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 6 | 78 | J. A. Love, Phil Campbell *2 - | J. H. Stephens, Phil Campbell $*_{1}$ |  |  | 300 |
| Bethlehem | 95 39 | 5 <br> 8 |  | 84 | J. B. Camp, Phil Campbell *1 | G. W. Creel, Phil Campbell *1... |  |  | 200 |
| Hackleburg | 39 36 | 8 | 8 |  | T. A. Shelton, Haleyville- ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | B. T. Benford, Haley ville *1 | P. L. Grubbs, Haleyville |  |  |
| Hodges | 83 | 21 | 8 | 55 | D. D W. Dickinson, Winfield | Jesse Evans, Hackleburg | Jesse Evans, Hackleburg. |  | 300 |
| Liberty Hill | 11.5 |  |  |  | T. G. Fowler, Phil Campbell ${ }^{*}$ | W. M. Cofield, Phil Campb | W. W Fairless, Hodges- |  | 750 |
| Mt. Olive | 101 | 7 | 8 | 50 | F. M. Holley, Hamilton | T. E. Steifel, Hackleburg *1. |  |  | 100 |
| Mt. Vernon | 28 |  | 7 | 30 | S. M. Hosmer. Phil Campbell ${ }^{-1}$ | P. J. Woodall, Phil Campbell *4 | P. J. Woodall, Phil Campbell *4 |  | 300 75 |
| Mt. Zion | 25 |  |  |  | J. B. Camp, Phil Campbell *1_- | J. E. Peters, Phil Campbell *4 | P. J. Woodall, Phil Campbell * |  |  |
| New Hope | 88 | 14 | 8 |  | W. N. Taylor, Bear Creek- | A. J. Green, Haleyville *2 | J. T. Morrison, Haleyville |  |  |
| Orange | 90 | 1 | 6 | 48 | J. B. Camp, Phil Camphel! *1 | B. G. Arthur, Russell ville *6 | W. ${ }^{\text {C. }}$. Burson, Russellvill ${ }^{*} 6$ |  | 200 |
| Phil Campbell <br> St. Paul | 60 28 | 1 | 7 | 60 | J. A. Love, Phil Campbell, *2 | J. D. Kimberly, Phil Campbell | W. F. Hodges, Phil Campbell |  | 300 |
| Shady Grove | 160 | 16 | 10 | 94 | J. A. Love, Phil Campbeil *2 | H. G. Dyer, Phil Campbell *2. |  |  |  |
| Shiloh----- | 75 | 11 |  | 86 | R. V. Dyer, Hamilton *2 | O. H. Feltman, Hamilton ${ }^{2}$ | H. A. Barnett, Hackleburg * |  | 400 |
| Spruce Pine | 113 | 7 |  |  | J. R. Coalson, Phil Campbell $*_{2}$ | J. F. Streetman, Spruce Pine |  |  | 400 |
| Totals 1912 | 1405 | 113 | 115 | 891 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Totals 1911. | 1506 | 124 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Tuskegee Association-Moderator, W. W. Campbell, Tuskegee; Clerk, J. H. Wallace, Opelika


Tuscaloosa County Association-Moderator, H. B. Foster, Tuscaloosa; Clerk, Elder J. T. Bealle, Northport.

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| 40 | J．F．Brock，Carrollton |
| 121 | A．B．Metcalf，Carrollton |
| 88 | Jesse McAllister，Buhl ．．－ |
| 30 | G．W．Kerr，Reform |
| 34 | S．E．Hodge，May |
|  | J．M．Cox，Millport |
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Washington County Association-Moderator, Elder T. E. Tucker, Healing Springs; Clerk, A. R. Turner, Vinegar Bend.

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| Berney | 31 |  | 4 | 26 | J. W. Baxter, Tibbie_ | G. S. Reynolds, Berney | J. M. Ferguson, Berney |  | 300 |
| Bethany - | 32 | 3 | 5 | 63 | C. H. Morgan, Jackson- | G. Sullivan, Wagar... | G. W. Sullivan, Wagar. |  | $\because 00$ |
| Chalk Hill | 114 | 6 | 6 | 45 | W. A. Darden, Healing Springs | J. H. Blount, Koenton |  |  | 500 |
| Chapel Hill |  | 1 | 7 | 40 | A. R. Loftin, Healing Springs -- | J. Britton, Aquilla |  |  | 600 |
| Chatom | 27 | 10 | 7 | 76 | T. E. Tucker, Healing Springs | Dr. J. Chason, Chatom. - | M. L. Smith, Chatom |  |  |
| Cortelyou. | 15 |  | 5 | 20 |  |  | J. W. Carter, Cortelyou |  |  |
| Escatawpa |  |  |  |  | W. S. Aaron, Tibbie...-. - | E. C. McRae .-....... | J. W, Carte, Cortaly |  | 500 |
| Frankville - | 149 | 3 | 7 | 50 | J. A. Jenkins, Montgomery | W. S. Pugh, Frankville | J. Granade, Frankville |  | 2000 |
| Friendship ---- | 84 | 2 | 7 | 62 | W. A. Thorpe, Cunningham - - | A. D. Everitt, Frankville | W. H. Long, Koenton_ |  | 400 |
| Healing Springs | 58 |  | 5 | 33 | A. K. Loftin, Healing Springs | J. E. McLemore, Millry -.. | T. B. Warrick --- |  | 1500 |
|  |  | 2 | ${ }_{8}^{6}$ | 64 | S. A. Adams, Jackson.------ | E. C. McClinton, Leroy --- | A. S. Mathews, Leroy |  |  |
| Malcolm | 56 |  | 8 | 44 | W---------------- | I. B. Carter, Malcom--- | R. L. Jones, Malcolm |  | 400 |
| Millry | 11 |  |  |  | W. A. Darden, Healing Springs | Mrs. J. K. Mackey, Millry - |  |  |  |
| Pine Level | 23 | 1 | 5 | 26 |  |  |  |  | 200 |
| Rocky Ridge. | 85 | 3 | 6 | 20 | W. A. Darden, Healing Springs_ | Allen Loper, Loper --..---- | G. L. Carter, Millry |  | 500 |
| St. Stephens | 40 | 3 | 9 | 52 | C. H. Morgan, Jackson_----- | R. L. Gordy, St. Stephens--..... |  |  | 1500 |
| Shady Grove | 52 |  | 6 | 57 | J. A. W. Lowry, Bucatunna, Miss. | M. H. C. Causey, Healing Springs | J. W. Johnson------ |  | 500 |
| Shiloh.----- | 21 |  | 6 | 32 | A. J. Easley, Vinegar Bend - .... | D. W. Prine, Vinegar Bend | L. L. Prine, Vinegar Bend |  | 500 |
| Springbank | 123 | 20 | 7 | 46 | H. A. Johnson, Aquilla | L. F. Hill, Chatam------- | T. D. Latham, Chatom-- |  | 500 |
| Toiler Creek | 35 | 1 | 6 | 30 | A. D. Everett, Franksville | H. P. Everitt, Frankville | H. P. Everitt, Frankville |  | 300 |
| Vinegar Bend | 147 | 4 | 30 | 330 | G. W. McRea, Mobile ... | Dr. W. A. Thempson, Vinegar Ben | A. R. Turner, Vinegar Bend. |  | 5300 |
| Totals 1912 | 1345 | 59 | 152 | 1116 |  |  |  | \$ | 18100 |
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## STATISTICAL TABLES

Home Expenses, Missions, Education, Orphan’s Home, Miscellaneous.
(Churches that made no report to the Association for 1912 are omitted from these tabies. No Minutes of Arbacoochee, Mt. Carmel and St. Clair County Associations could be secured, so they do not appear.)
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| CHURCHES | HOME EXPENSES |  |  |  |  | MISSIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  | EDUCATION |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { J } \\ & \stackrel{0}{0} \\ & \text { تg } \\ & \text { ᄃ5 } \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ |
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| 12 Butler Co | 28 | 111 | 2，634 | 21 | 1，153 | 34，900 | 5，926 62 | 1，50498 | 61597 | 8，047 57 |
| 13 Cahaba． | 32 | 92 | 2，6．32 | 19 | 1，236 | 63，5．50 | 9，003 48 | 2，263 87 | 1，040 51 | 12，309 86 |
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| 15 Carey． | 33 | 130 | 3，189 | 19 | 1，993 | 29，000 | 5,18863 | S24 81 | 5.516 | 6，568 65 |
| 16 Cedar Bluff | 18 | 21 | 1，026 | 11 | 727 | 6，400 | 75190 | 21604 | 13779 | 1，105 73 |
| 17 Centennial． | 15 | 30 | 933 | 6 | 399 | 24，830 | 3，011 52 | 1，073 39 | 52150 | 4，606 41 |
| 18 Central． | 44 | 292 | 4，789 | 33 | 2，699 | 57，500 | 8，735 21 | 1，967 96 | 1，323 46 | 12，026 63 |
| 19 Cherokee C | 24 | 57 | 1，783 | 17 | 1，156 | 13， 850 | 2，436 35 | 13172 | 1， 4438 | 2，652 45 |
| 20 Chilton Co | 21 | 205 | 2，695 | 17 | 1，132 | 14，150 | 3，139 42 | 12319 | 22027 | 3，452 S8 |
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[^1]:    Montgomery, Ala.,
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[^2]:    Butler County Association-Moderator, J. G. Reynolds, Greenville; Clerk, W. P. Bishop, Georgiana
    Next Session (11) with Brushy Creek Church, August 19, 1913.
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    Next Session (22) with Mt. Gilead, September 17, 18, 1913.
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[^5]:    Cullman Association-Moderator, W. H. Absher, Hanceville, Clerk, Elder J. E. Creel, Bangor.
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